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## JAPANESE SERVICE LEADERS TO ATTEND NAZI PARTY CONGRESS AT NUREMBERG

### "Talks Will Assist Japanese Expedition In China:" Terauchi

TOKYO, July 12 (REUTER)—THE FORMER WAR MINISTER, GENERAL COUNT TERAUCHI AND ADMIRAL OSUMI, a member of the War Council, have accepted Herr Hitler's personal invitation to attend a Nazi conference at Nuremberg. They will be accompanied by Staff officers and will leave on Tuesday.

The delegation will also visit Italy.

In the course of their stay in Italy, General Terauchi and Admiral Osumi will participate in celebrations on the anniversary of the march on Rome.

Gen. Terauchi, in a statement, declared that the meeting of the leaders of "three strong powers at this critical time is not only full of significance but will possibly contribute to the successful prosecution of Japan's expedition in China."

A Transoceanic message states that the military delegation will be composed of General Count Terauchi, General Count Hsialchi, ex-Minister of Marine, Admiral Baron Mineo Osumi, Colonel Yasato, Major Kaneda, Major Kato, Capt. Kojima and Capt. Onoda, and will depart on July 18.

The National Socialist Party Congress in Nuremberg will take place between September 2 and 11 and the Japanese Army will be represented by the military delegation.

## Gun Threat To Taxi-Driver Alleged

### YOUNG EUROPEAN INVOLVED IN ASSAULT

A Kowloon taxi-driver was last night threatened with a revolver and assaulted, entirely without cause, by an unknown European stated to be under the influence of liquor who also smashed the glass windows of the vehicle.

The incident occurred in Nathan Road, near Yaumatei, about 10.45 p.m.

Kwong Lun, the driver, in a report to the police, said that the European hired the taxi in Nathan Road. At a spot in Nathan Road, between the Alhambra Theatre and the Blue Taxi Company's depot, the European ordered the driver to stop.

He then lashed out, the driver alleged, and broke the car windows, struck Kwong several blows and also pointed a revolver at the man's face.

The offender, stated to be about 35 years' old, then jumped into a moving bus proceeding in the direction of Shamshuipo. He had not been traced up to a late hour last night.

The correspondent of the "Paris Soir" has been expelled from Rome. This is the second expulsion of a French journalist within a week, says Reuter.

## THIRD TIENTSIN LIVE WIRE DEATH

TIENTSIN, July 12 (Reuter)—Another Chinese was electrocuted this morning on the live wire along the northernmost boundary of the British Concession.

This is the third fatality on the wire since the official announcement that the fence surrounding the concessions would be charged with high-tension current.

THIS KIND OF THING STRIKES SOME PEOPLE AS AMUSING!



Masse—"And yet I don't know, Adolf, if it's so funny after all. Where do we stand when that boy grows a little bigger?" (The Bulletin, Glasgow)

## RETALIATORY MEASURES AGAINST ITALIANS

### Military Reasons Given For Tyrol Expulsion

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons to-morrow, the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, will be asked whether unless the Italian order is rescinded retaliatory measures to expel Italians residing in Britain will be taken.

Various reasons have been given for the Italian order that foreign residents in South Tyrol should leave within 48 hours.

One is that the residents, being familiar with the district, will be transferred for military reasons that the Italian Government while another reason is wants to convince the German people who are repatriating to Germany that other residents are receiving undifferentiated treatment.

A message from Rome states that it is officially declared that the order was made for military reasons after the secret police had found certain elements in the foreign residents district.

## HITLER'S WREATH



This wreath, six feet high with red ribbon bearing "Adolf Hitler" in white letters, was the German Chancellor's remarkable tribute to the British racing ace at the funeral service in London. (See Story Page 9)

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## VULNERABILITY OF AXIS EXPOSED BY R.A.F. FLIGHT TO FRANCE

### Magnitude Of British Naval Rearmament

#### 40 NEW SHIPS BY END OF YEAR

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter)—Supplementary to the revelations of the magnitude of British naval rearmament Hector C. Bywater, Naval Correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" learns from an authoritative source that more than 40 new warships and several auxiliary vessels will be afloat before the end of the year.

These comprise five 35,000-ton battleships now under construction, also including H.M.S. Jellicoe, five 8,000-ton cruisers, seven smaller cruisers, four large aircraft-carriers, 10 to 15 1,700-ton destroyers and nine ocean-going submarines.

The auxiliaries include depot ships and 25 motor torpedo boats, of which the latest type are of 32 tons.

Apart from the new construction, the battleships Queen Elizabeth and Valiant and battle-cruiser Renown are to be reconstructed to compare favourably with the newest foreign battleships, and will shortly be rejoining the Navy.

## UNABLE TO GET SIGNAL THROUGH

### WHEN THE THETIS DID NOT RISE

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter)—On resumption of the inquiry into the loss of the submarine Thetis, a wireless operator on the tug which followed the Thetis during the trial in Liverpool Bay declared that conditions were so bad that he was unable to get in contact by wireless with the land station.

When he was asked by Lieut. Coltart to communicate with the Naval authorities informing them that the Thetis had not risen from her dive he (witness) could not get the message through.

Divers to-day found the first distress buoy which had been sent up by the submarine.

## Demonstration Draws Howls Of Rage From Nazi Press

LONDON, July 12 (BWS)—The successful test flight of British bombers over France yesterday is greeted with a chorus of satisfaction in the British press this morning.

The "Daily Telegraph" says: "When the position of the axis Powers is viewed in terms of military strategy, the advantage of their central position for the transfer of troops from front to front, is generally recognised."

"In air strategy, however, the central position is not necessarily an advantage, since it is difficult, when bombers may come from any side, to remove their objectives to any secure position."

"Points in Germany and Italy, which distances flown yesterday show to be by no means inaccessible from the British bases, could be reached with even greater ease from bases in allied territory."

"It is our hope that the flawless performance illustrated by more than 100 British machines will be repeated frequently in peacetime—and only in peacetime—but the grimmer possibilities which underlie such an experiment should not be ignored."

German Bluster

BERLIN, July 12 (Reuter)—"Demonstrative Threats," "Impudent Provocation" and "Is Acquaintance Desired With the German Air Force?" are among the furious headlines in the German press this morning regarding the flight of the British warplanes to France.

"Germany may rest assured that not one British bomber would get through the German air defence," writes the "Volkischer Beobachter," referring to the remark attributed to a Paris paper that the flight would give the populations of Nuremberg, Leipzig and Hamburg food for thought.

The "Boersen Zeitung" declares that "the demonstration flight has not lost us a minute's good sleep."

## DR. KUNG ON TOKYO PARLEYS

CHUNGKING, July 12 (T/Ocean)—Every concession of acquiescence by England to the Japanese demands will be regarded as an unfriendly act by the Chinese National Government, declared the President of the Executive Yuan, Dr. H. H. Kung, to a Transoceanic representative in reply to a question regarding China's attitude towards the forthcoming Anglo-Japanese conference.

Dr. Kung expressed the opinion that the conference will not be extended to general problems connected with the political situation in the Far East but will be confined to the Anglo-Japanese conflict in Tientsin.

The only condition under which China would consider discontinuing the hostilities would be a complete withdrawal of the Japanese troops from China, this being the essential condition for any negotiations between the two countries.

Following the withdrawal of the Japanese troops, China would be willing to enter into a peace conference conducted either through the medium of a third power, or an international conference.

## CHINA WAR NEWS: SURPRISE FLANK ATTACK LAUNCHED BY CHINESE: BIG BATTLE IN SHENSI

CHUNGKING, July 12 (Reuter)—Renewed fighting was reported to-day from Shensi, where the Japanese are employing four divisions, two of which have just arrived from Japan, and one mixed brigade, which are converging from the north, west and east.

A Chinese spokesman stated to-day that the Chinese had launched a surprise flank attack, inflicting many casualties, and owing to the fierce Chinese resistance, the Japanese had failed to make headway in their western drive.

A big battle is expected to start in Central Shensi shortly.

SEANGHOU, HONAN, July 12 (Central)—An unsuccessful drive on the Nanking-Shanghai Railway, on the Chinese positions north-west of Po Ai, western terminus of the Tackow-Chinghai Railway, in Northern Honan, was launched by the Japanese last Saturday.

Following a fierce encounter, they retreated, leaving some 200 dead behind.

Burned To Death  
TUNKI, ANEWEL, July 12 (Central)—More than 30 Japanese soldiers were burned to death in a fire set by Chinese guerrillas during an attack on the Japanese guard house at Hengkwan station, about

## Daring Street Hold-up

### AUSTIN CAR USED BY JOY-RIDING ROBBERS

Joy-riders turned robbers in Kowloon late yesterday afternoon when an Austin Seven car, stolen from Kowloon City at 2 p.m., was used three hours later in a daring robbery.

Chan Muk-sang, 22-year-old shop fook, who was walking along the road skirting the Central British School at Matarwei, was victimized by two men who approached him in the car, alighted and held him up with a knife.

A sum of \$10.30 was taken from the fook by the robbers, as well as a watch and a police whistle.

Chan was completely unsuspecting when the car, which had been following him, came to a stop. He was confronted with a form of robbery practically unknown in Hongkong, and was too surprised to raise any alarm as the two men made a successful getaway.

The stolen car, No. 901, was reported last night by police to have been found.

The Sino-Soviet Institute of Cultural Relations has sent a message of condolence to the Soviet Foreign Cultural Relations Association at Moscow over the untimely deaths of the Soviet Ambassador to China, M. Luganets-Orelsky and his wife, on Saturday. The message states that his death is a shock to the Chinese nation. (Central News)

## THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2 1/2/24.

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28.11/16.

From Our Own Correspondent

London, July 12

London silver prices to-day were up 3/16 for Spot and 1/2 for Forward as follows:

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Spot 15-3/8 15-9/16

Forward 15-11/16 15-15/16



# In the World of Sports

## LAWN BOWLS NOTES:

### One Tie Features First Division Games: Keen Finishes

### Taikoo Deposed From Top Of Second League Table

(By "Jack Hy")

The Lawn Bowls League programme last Saturday saw two ties—the Indian R.C. tied with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the First Division and Taikoo R.C. with Kowloon Tong in the Second. The results of the other matches in these two Divisions were as expected, but two upsets were recorded in the Third Division. All the home teams did not win, as had been expected, the Hongkong Football Club and Hongkong Electric dropping two points each at home.

The Indian R.C. were unfortunate to have to share the spoils with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. They were leading all the way until towards the end when, with a final spurt, the Kowloon Bowlers piled up the shots and very nearly overhauled the Indians' total. Adam Holland's rink was the only successful visiting rink. His win by 12 shots over M. R. Abbas just offset the loss by 12 shots sustained by the other two K.B.G.C. skips.

Abbas led Holland by 15—14 on the 17th head. The latter, however, took a four, a single, a three and a five on the last four heads to win by 27—15. It must be said that it was hard luck on Abbas to lose the four. With Holland lying a couple, he had come in for the first shot with a perfect draw with his last wood. The shot seemed to be well protected. However, Holland sent down a heavy wood, which split open the woods in front, and came in and took away the shot against him to give his rink the count of four.

It was also unfortunate for the Indians that Abbas gave away a five on the last head. He tried to save with his two woods but each time he was through. Had he known what those five shots meant to his team he might have taken a crack at Holland's woods and thus reduced the number of shots. A. K. Minu and A. J. Hall had a grand duel. There were several very good heads in which the lay was constantly changing with practically every wood sent down. For A. K. Minu, who himself was in excellent drawing form, S. M. Rumjahn and younger brother A. R. played well. R. Duncan proved his worth to Hall by sending down some beautiful woods and so did Joe Meyer.

A. R. Dallah, who beat W. Macfarlane by 22—17, played very well to save big counts on a few occasions by drawing in for the first or second shot. However, he very nearly gave the game away to the K. B. G. C. who, needing three to win on the last head, were lying two.

To save the day for the Indians, he had to come in to save by the back hand which was tricky and which he had been avoiding the whole afternoon. He was on the narrow side and nearly bumped up one of Macfarlane's woods for a count of three.

#### RECREIO'S EASY DAY

Up on two rinks, Recreio "A" had matters very much their own way in their home match against the Police and won by 35—shots. Dickie Alves' rink chalked up a six against A. E. Carey's who replied with a seven. In spite of the seven, however, Carey lost by 16 shots.

Carlos Silva beat J. Orem by 32—10 to maintain his unbeaten record and lead in the First Division Skips' Table with a score of 13 points, followed closely behind by H. A. Alves, U. M. Omar and B. W. Bradbury with 12 points each. F. X. M. Silva lost to J. Fender by 16—19.

Craigengower C.C. had no difficulty in beating the Kowloon Docks. They won on all three rinks, and had 31 shots in hand at the conclusion of the game. For Craigengower, both U. M. Omar and R. Bassa, each of whom had a six and each of whom scored 28 shots in their respective games, beat D. C. Brown and H. C. Cooper respectively by 12 shots. B. W. Bradbury scored 24 shots to R. Morrison's 17.

The Kowloon Cricket Club too met with no resistance whatever in their home match against Recreio "B" and won by 20 shots, all their rinks being up. Frank Goodwin and Teddy Fincher scored a six each against B. Basto and J. J. Basto respectively, but E. Kern went one better and scored a seven against F. X. Soares.

#### LEADERS DEPOSED

I stated in these columns last week that Taikoo R.C. should have no qualms whatever about retaining the Second Division leadership. Well, results have proved me to be wrong. They lost a valuable point in their 60—all tie against Kowloon Tong as the result of which their position as leaders has been taken over by the Hongkong Football Club who had a narrow squeak against Craigengower C.C. last Saturday.

Taikoo R. C. were distinctly unfortunate to only tie with Kowloon Tong, as they were up on two rinks. J. C. Chalmers was 12 shots to the good in his game against A. Spary and D. Munro had one in hand against H. Gittins. But R. Wallace let down his team badly by losing by 13 to A. H. Basto. The latter was undoubtedly the hero of the day for Kowloon Tong. He scored eleven shots on the last six heads to beat Wallace by 23—10.

Hongkong Football Club, by virtue of their narrow win by two shots over Craigengower, now lead in the Second Division. J. Selby and A. Brooksbank both won for the Footballers—the former having two shots in hand and the latter only one in their game against W. K. Way and C. S. Rosselet respectively; but J. Bebbington was one shot down to H. W. Randall.

#### TWO SURPRISES

Two teams in the Third Division which had been expected to go down won their matches. These were the Kowloon Bowling Green Club and the Kowloon Football Club, both of whom played away against the Hongkong Football Club and Hongkong Electric respectively. In the first match (i.e. the H.K.F.C.—K.B.G.C. match) the Mainlanders added two more points to their score as the result of a very tight game in which they won by only two shots.

They have to thank P. J. Hamilton mainly for their victory as he finished his game against J. Russell with a lead of nine shots. H. L. Lockhart, for the Bowling Green, had only one shot in hand against H. H. Pegge, but J. Dinnien lost to V. Walker by eight shots.

In the other match in which the result was unexpected, the Kowloon Football Club beat the Hongkong Electric at North Point by 13 shots. For the visitors, both P. Morgan and V. Fetherick's rinks played very well (the latter collected a six) to beat A. F. Paul and J. Sloan by 24—12 and 24—18 respectively. W. Muskett's rink did best for the Electricians and won by 21—16 against J. T. Smalley.

## SOME CLUBS' SELECTIONS

### Representatives For Saturday

#### CRAIGENGOWER

1st Div. v. Civil Service (Away)  
J. W. Leonard, K. M. Omar, A. E. Coates, B. W. Bradbury, W. J. Penny, L. C. R. Souza, J. S. Lark, U. M. Omar, A. A. Razaack, W. Ward, A. M. Omar, R. Bassa.  
2nd Div. v. Kowloon T.C. (Home)  
J. H. Xavier, A. J. Coelho, T. Locke, H. W. Randall, W. McNeill, L. Gaddi, E. Zimmermann, C. S. Rosselet, N. Leonard, D. A. Rozario, Dr. N. P. Karanjia, W. K. Way.  
3rd Div. v. R.H.K. Yacht Club (Home)  
E. McNay, E. Kerrison, W. Phelps, G. S. Ladd, G. R. Payne, F. Petersen, Dr. C. W. Lam, John Pau, S. R. Solina, F. X. Delgado, A. B. Hamson, A. E. S. Alves.

#### INDIAN R.C.

1st Div. v. Police (Away)  
J. Hossen, A. Bakar, A. R. Minu, A. K. Minu, S. M. Rumjahn, A. H. Rumjahn, A. O. Madar, M. R. Abbas, D. M. Khan, A. M. Wahab, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dallah.  
H.K. ELECTRIC R.C.  
v. K.B.G.C. (Away) 3.30 p.m.  
V. Sorby, W. E. Macfarlane, S. Deacon, W. H. B. Muskett, R. C. Butler, R. A. Owens, A. F. Paul, L. de Rome, J. F. Barron, A. G. Gardner, G. T. Padgett, G. G. S. Thomson.  
Reserve: W. E. Baker.

## FRENCH WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

LE TOUQUET, July 12 (Reuter).—Madame Lacoste retained the French Women's Open Golf Championship, beating Miss Powell, of Great Britain, 10 up and 9 over a 36-hole final.

## GOVERNOR GOLFS AT FANLING

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, led a team against the Asiatic Petroleum Company at golf on the Fanling course yesterday.

## BASEBALL NOTES

### LOCAL HISTORY MADE: UMPIRE CALLS GAME ON GROUNDS ONE SIDE NOT TRYING

(By R.O.Y.)

For the first time in the history of Hongkong baseball, an umpire had occasion to terminate a match before it had gone the full distance, on the grounds that one squad was not trying. This happened in the clash between the Chinese Baseballers and South China after the latter team had played excellent ball to hold a 6-4 lead at the end of the sixth frame, but then had allowed the Baseballers to regain the lead with four tallies during the first half of the seventh, mainly through lack of actual fielding.

Umpire Horton suspended play before the Baseballers had completed their time at bat and declared the game completed with the scores as they stood at the end of the last completed inning. At an emergency meeting of the League committee, on Tuesday evening, that body confirmed Umpire Horton's ruling which means that the Chinese Baseballers have been debited with another loss which just about puts them out of the running for this year's pennant.

Although no blame for this fiasco was attached to the Chinese Baseballers, this ruling actually penalizes them for the fault of the opposing team! The game itself, commented very promisingly although the Chung Wah squad appeared to be a disorganized unit without the services of Nip Lum who was an interested onlooker, but was unable to play.

The losers started proceedings with a long circuit drive by Wally Chung and scored again when Chiary binged to drive in Wilbert Wu. The South China gang got to work and ran up a three run lead in the first two frames; the Baseballers scored in the third and fifth frames to reduce the deficit and at this stage of the game, an exciting finish seemed assured. Both teams were near scoreless in the sixth frame despite a num-

## HOME CRICKET

### Ames Scores The Fastest Century Of The Season

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter).—Leslie Ames, the Kent player, scored the fastest century of the season yesterday in his county's match against Surrey at the Oval. He reached his 100 in 47 minutes, beating Compton's time of 82 minutes. He was altogether 103 minutes at the wickets in scoring an unbeaten 136 runs, hitting one six and 18 fours.

Kent won the match by 7 wickets. Surrey: 186 and 360 for 7 declared (Fishlock 102, Whitfield 109). Kent: 315 and 234 for 3 (Ames 136 not out). Glamorgan annexed first innings points against Sussex at Pontypridd. Glamorgan: 336 for 8, declared (Emry Davies 102 and 88 for 3). Sussex: 262.

Warwick beat Leicester at Leicester by 6 wickets. Leicester: 86 (Willmot 4 for 21, Hollis 5 for 24) and 121. Warwick: 111 (Smith 5 for 28) and 100 for 4. Worcester and Somerset drew at Kidderminster. Worcester: 130 (Wellard 7 for 45) and 142 (Hazell 5 for 6). Somerset: 131 and 141. Middlesex secured a first innings decision over Yorkshire at Bradford (A. Wood's Benefit Match). Yorks: 171 (Smith 5 for 48, Seime 4 for 49) and 172 for 5 (Simms 4 for 62). Middlesex: 292.

## PROFESSIONAL GOLF TOURNEY

LONG ISLAND, July 12 (Reuter).—In the Professional Golfers Association Championship, played at the Pomonok Country Club, in the first round, match-play, Manero beat Hagen one up, Jack Ryan beat Sarazen one up and Snead failed to qualify. Second Round. Notable matches in the second round were: Clarence Doser, of Pasadena, beat Ralph Guldahl 2

## LEAGUE TENNIS

### INDIANS DEFEAT UNIVERSITY

#### Rumjahn Cousins Lose A Set

Though beaten by three sets to six, Hongkong University achieved a minor feat in the "A" Division of the tennis league yesterday, when one of their pairs, S. Wong and C. C. Ma beat the Rumjahn Cousins 7-5.

The Cousins, who have the best record to date in the "A" were hitherto unbeaten. In addition, Wong and Ma won both the other two sets. S. Wong and C. C. Ma (H.K.U.) beat O. Rumjahn and I. M. A. Razaack 7-5; beat A. R. Minu and A. H. Madar 6-1; beat S. A. Rumjahn and H. D. Rumjahn 7-5. H. F. Ong and T. S. Wong (H.K.U.) lost to Rumjahn and Razaack 0-6; lost to Minu and Madar 2-6; lost to Rumjahn Cousins 1-6. T. T. Lim and S. H. Ling (H.K.U.) lost to Rumjahn and Razaack 1-6; lost to Minu and Madar 2-6; lost to Rumjahn Cousins 4-6.

## Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY  
BADMINTON.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.  
SWIMMING.—Y. M. C. A. Mixed Swimming, 6 p.m.  
WATER POLO LEAGUE.—Chung Shing Benevolent Society v. European Y.M.C.A. (Chung Shing, Kennedy Town, 8.15 p.m.) South China v. Chinese Bathing Club (South China, North Point, 8.15 p.m.).  
TO-MORROW  
TENNIS LEAGUE.—Mixed Doubles, Chinese R.C. v. United Services R.C.  
SWIMMING.—South China Athletic Association Gala, North Point, 7.30 p.m.

up; Paul Runyan, the holder, beat Frank Champ, 3 up and 2; Byron Nelson beat W. Francis 3 up and 1. The championship will end on July 15.

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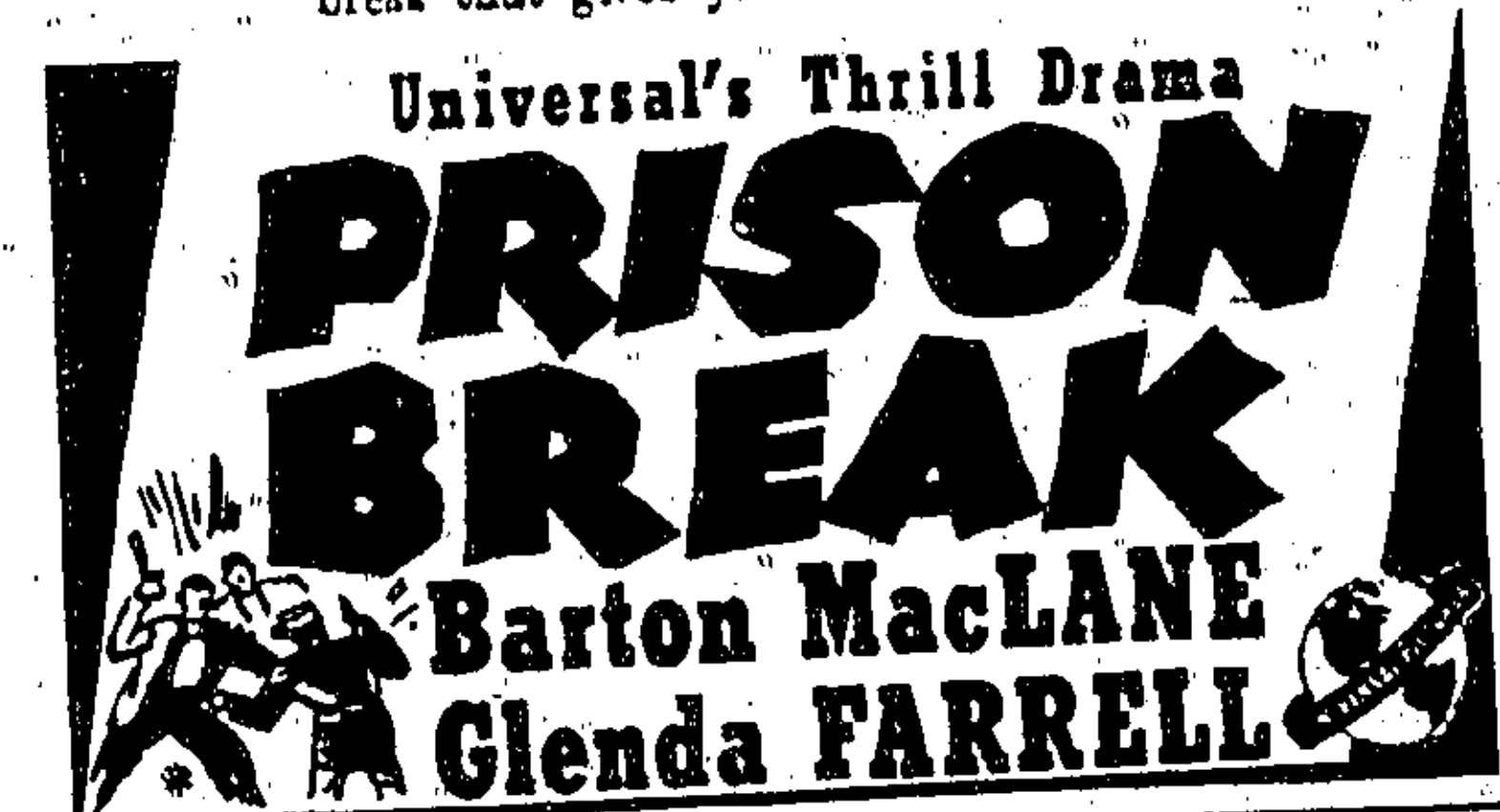
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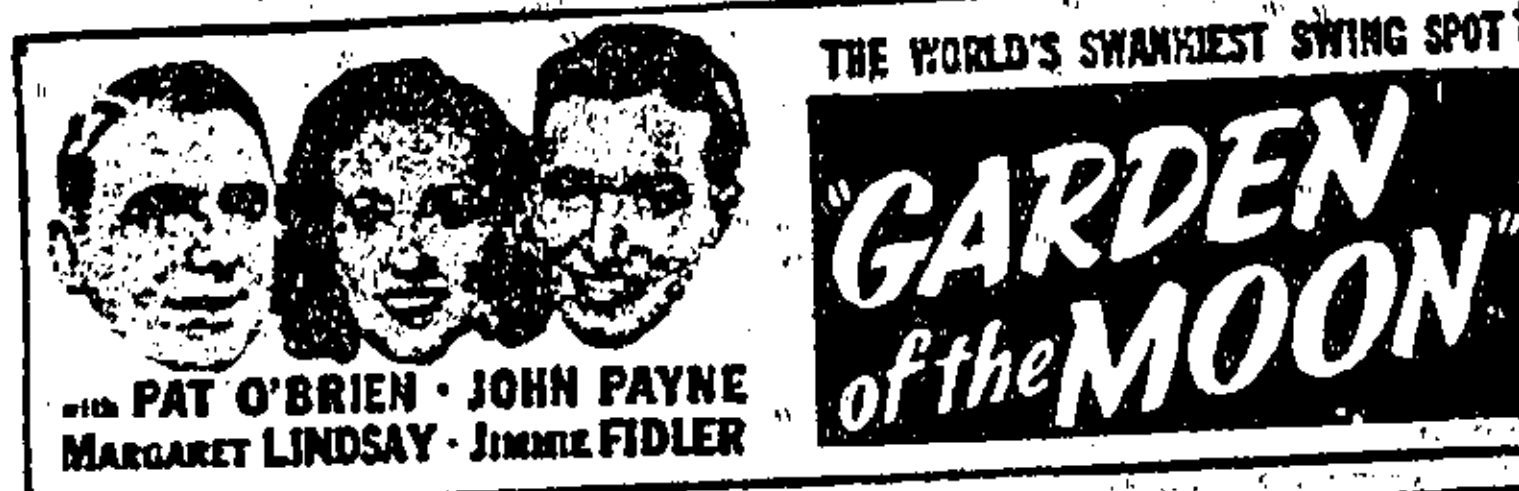


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TUE: "Treasure Island" starring Wallace Beery, Jackie Cooper  
WED: "BABES IN TOYLAND" starring Laurel and Hardy  
THU: "DAVID COPPERFIELD" with a cast of 26 players  
FRI: "BUZZ" starring Jean Harlow, Franchot Tone  
SAT: "The FIREFLY" starring FRANKIE MACDONALD

## Today's Screenings

### Hongkong

**KING'S:** "Thanks For Everything"

**QUEEN'S:** "The Kid From Texas"

**ORIENTAL:** "Prison Break"

**CATHAY:** "Hold That Co-ed"

### Kowloon

**ALHAMBRA:** "Grand Jury's Secrets"

**STAR:** "Rosalia"

**MAJESTIC:** "Test Pilot"

### Coming

**KING'S:** "I Am The Law"

**QUEEN'S:** "Idiot's Delight"

**ORIENTAL:** "Garden Of The Moon"

**CATHAY:** "Pek's Bad Boy With The Circus"

**ALHAMBRA:** "Idiot's Delight"

**STAR:** "Boys Town"

**MAJESTIC:** "Citadel"

## "THANKS FOR EVERYTHING" AT THE KING'S

A cast of high and low comedy experts, combined with some of the loveliest red and blonde beauty on the screen, has tackled a fresh and original idea in "Thanks for Everything," and has whaled it away into one of the most entertaining pictures 20th Century-Fox has ever turned out.

The King's Theatre where this film opens to-day, is enjoying the presence of this scandalously funny picture and the bubbling antics of its cast of glamor, wit and nitwit that includes Adolphe Menjou, Jack Oakie, Jack Haley, Arleen Whelan, Tony Martin, Elinor Barnes, George Barbier and Warren Hymer.

"Thanks for Everything" expounds the droll idea that there is such a thing as a Mister Average Man in this, our great country. Its plot, through its plotters—same being a saturnine Adolphe Menjou and a Doakish Jack Oakie—proceeds to locate this specimen man, and then to probe and explore to see what makes him tick.

## GIVES PARTY IN AIR

As the Pan-American flying boat Yankee Clipper, carrying twenty-one U. S. Government observers to Southampton, dived over the Atlantic at 5,000ft., the passengers stood up to toast the guest of honour at the first birthday party ever to be held over the Atlantic Ocean.

It was the fortieth birthday of Mr. Juan T. Trippe, president and general manager of Pan-American Airways, and the passengers threw the party as a surprise.

The story was told when the Yankee Clipper reached Southampton after flying from New York via Shediac (New Brunswick), Botwood (Newfoundland) and Foynes (Ireland).

### Welcomed By Mayor

The party was given a civic reception by the Mayor of Southampton, and Sir Francis Chalmers, Director-General of Civil Aviation, greeted them on behalf of the Air Ministry.

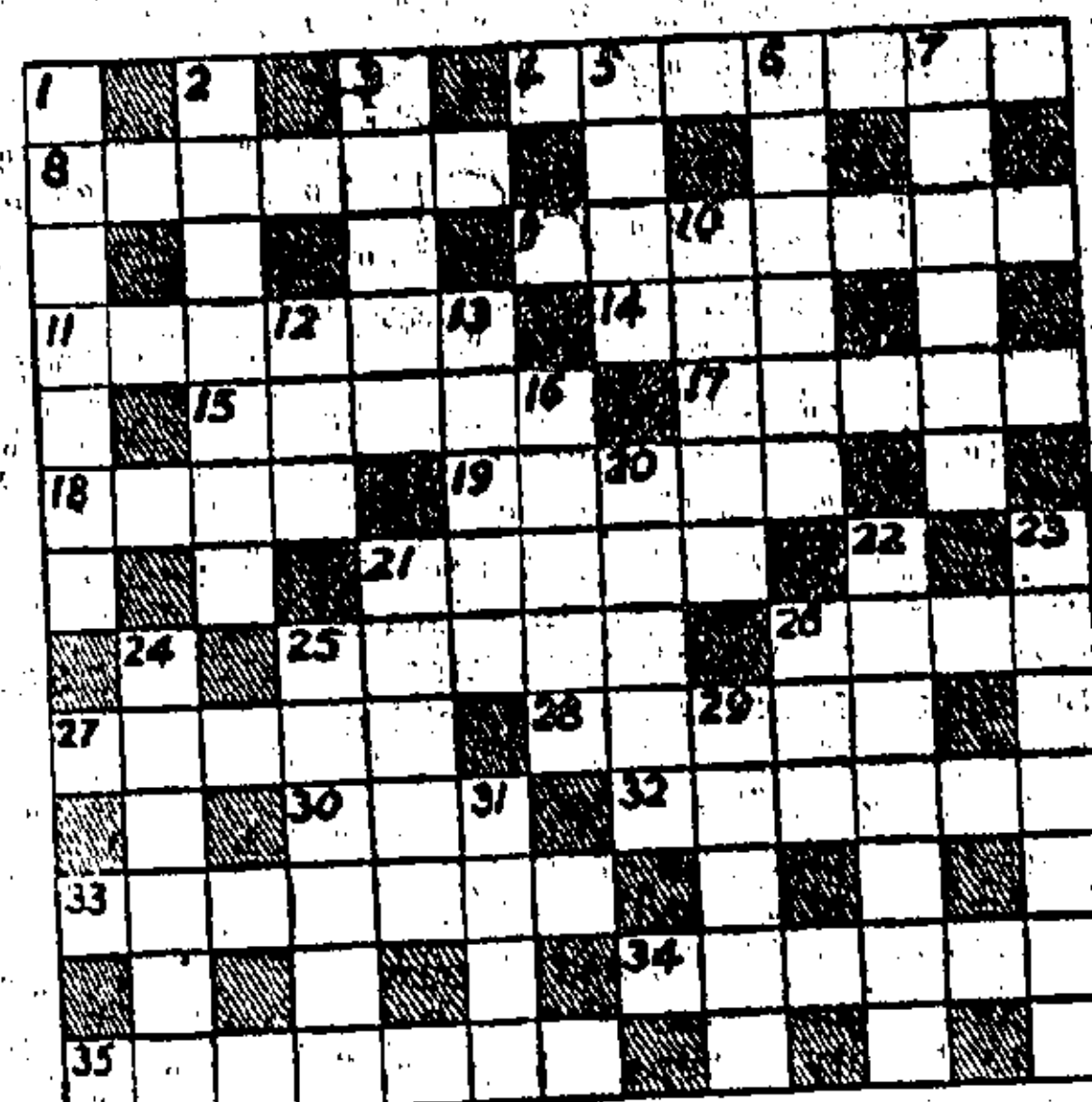
Sir Francis revealed that Imperial Airways hoped to start their transatlantic service in August.

Shortly before the Yankee Clipper arrived at Southampton, another Pan-American Airways craft, left Fort Washington, N.Y., on the first paying-passenger flight across the North Atlantic.

Sir Neville Henderson, British Ambassador in Berlin, who recently returned to London to consult his medical advisers arrived back in Berlin on Tuesday.

## CROSSWORD

### NO. 359



**ACROSS:**  
4 Stored (7)  
8 Foreign (6)  
9 Hauteur (7)  
11 Fright (6)  
14 Aged (3)  
15 All (5)  
17 Singly (5)  
18 Encounter (4)  
19 Abrupt (5)  
21 Teams (5)  
25 Wooden shoes (5)  
26 Carry (4)  
27 During (5)  
28 Duck (5)  
30 Inclined (3)  
32 Quality (6)  
33 Mixed fabric (7)  
34 Occupant (6)  
35 Blame (7)  
**DOWN:**  
1 Afternoon meal (7)  
2 Wood (7)  
3 Navigator (5)  
5 Set of  
6 three (4)  
7 Taper (6)  
8 Stretch (6)  
10 Tumbler (5)  
12 Decay (3)  
13 Proportion (5)  
15 Shelf (5)  
16 Gum (5)  
18 Slumbered (6)  
22 Reading (7)  
23 Holy men (7)  
24 Select (6)  
25 Holds tightly (6)  
26 Wager (3)  
29 Valleys (5)  
31 Rend (4)

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

Solution No. 358

**ACROSS:** 1. Poplar, 4. Bestow, 7. Partition, 9. Shun, 10. Port, 11. Mixed, 13. Nickel, 14. Rested, 15. Stalls, 17. Source, 18. Seven, 20. Reel, 22. Lamp, 23. Dismissal, 24. Tavern, 25. Notice.

**DOWN:** 1. Parson, 2. Lean, 3. Retail, 4. Bitter, 5. Shop, 6. Wanted, 7. Purchased, 8. Nocturnal, 11. Meals, 12. Demon, 15. Strict, 16. Seamen, 17. Season, 18. Expire, 21. Lime, 22. Last.

## CZECH DOCTORS FOR BRITAIN

Fifty Czech doctors are to be permitted to study in Britain with a view to obtaining the qualifications to practise there.

The minimum period of study before they may be placed on the British medical register is three years. Until they are on the register they cannot practise.

This is the arrangement which has been made between the Home Office and the British Medical Association. Their permit to stay is for the period of study only, and their residence here depends on their qualifying.

It is possible that a few others may be allowed to come to Britain for research and other special work in which they are qualified, but they will not be allowed to practise.

Fifty Austrian doctors were admitted last year on the same principle of studying for the British degree.

## DUKE OF KENT AS "100 P.C. AUSTRALIAN"

A hope that he would be received in Australia as a "hundred per cent. Australian" was expressed by the Duke of Kent at an Australia Club dinner in London on June 26.

"I remember the King after his return from his visit to you in 1927, saying how pleased he had been when he realised that he was being received in the Commonwealth, not as somebody from Europe paying a visit, but as a hundred per cent. Australian," said the Duke.

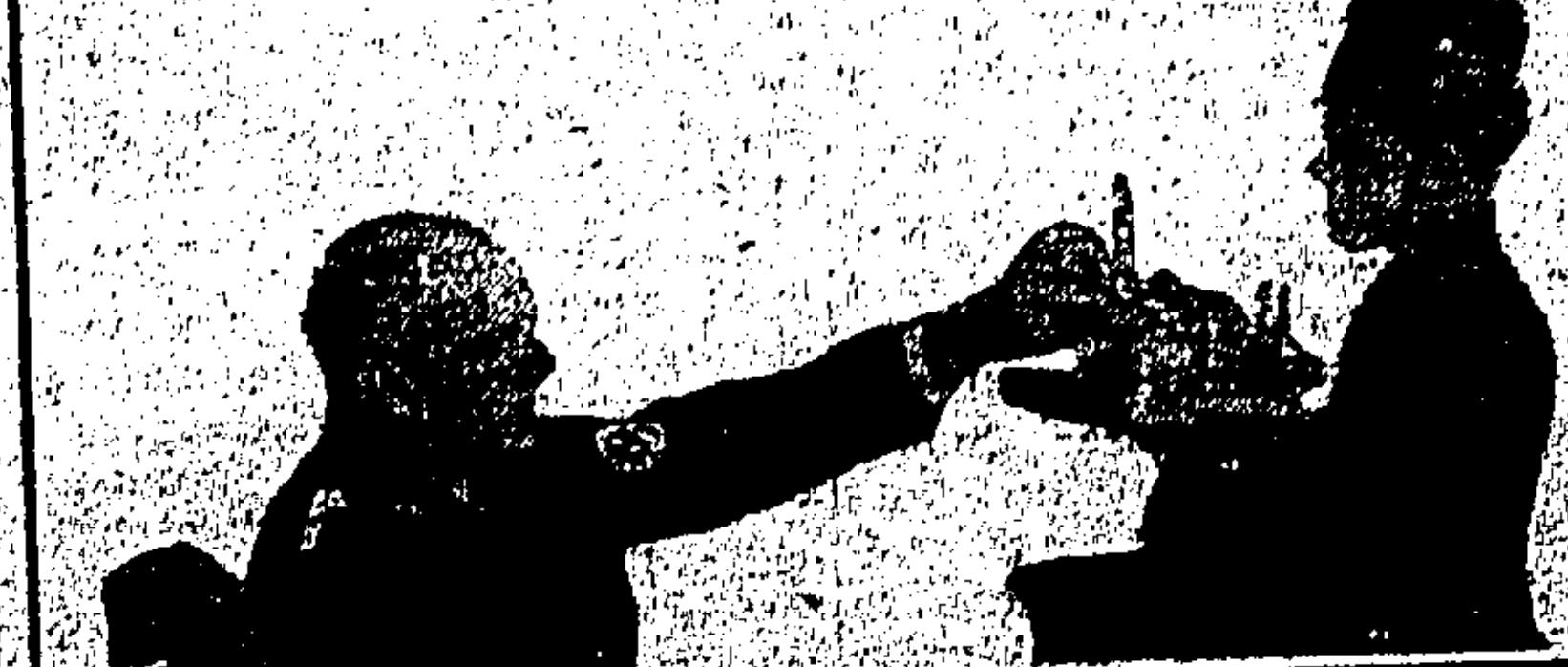
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ROBERT DONAT ROSALIND RUSSELL in **"CITADEL"**

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# WOMEN'S PAGE

## HONGKONG PERSONALITY INTRODUCED

— MISS PHYLLIS HARROP

BEHIND A LARGE FLAT TOP DESK stacked high with bulging files, memoranda and red reference books presides a pretty, blonde, efficient career woman, the Lady Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Miss Phyllis Harrop.

This is quite a big title to attach to such a young woman who is slight of build and has a pair of keen, penetrating, clear blue eyes.

But, the Lady Assistant "can take it" and has undertaken the huge task of protecting, counselling and educating the young and old, helpless Chinese women and children in the Colony.

This feminine public defender of the unfortunate local Chinese was born in Manchester, England, about thirty years ago (Miss Harrop gave a laugh as an answer to our inquiry regarding her age), and received her education in that city. Completing her studies at the Manchester University, Miss Harrop travelled to Shanghai in the year 1929.

In 1932 she found herself in India and returned home to England the next year. Here she remained until 1934 when she again went to Shanghai and took over social service and settlement work. Investigating, studying and improving the life of the poorer classes in the North took Phyllis Harrop into Manchuria where she remained for six months. The experiences in this land of mixed nationalities was indeed beneficial and revealing.

During the next years, until 1937, when the bombing and northern Chinese and Japanese "informal-war" caused her to become a refugee and change her residence to Hongkong, Miss Harrop worked in and about Shanghai.

### Perfectly Natural

Hongkong, in the beginning of 1938, was desperately in need of the type of services which Phyllis Harrop could render, therefore, it was perfectly natural that she stepped into her present work as Lady Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

This is a big job which covers many branches of daily life for the Chinese, poorer class, including Hongkong and the New Territories. Social welfare for young boys and girls, baby farms, slave rackets, prostitution, industrial, health and sanitation education, financial and economic troubles, all these factors and more, must be watched, investigated and advised according to the individual's classification.

There are nine assistants working under Miss Harrop and many



MISS P. M. HARROP

are the ways and means they employ to unearth the demoralizing and unlawful practices taking place in the Colony. Also, the task of counselling and educating the Chinese women towards a higher standard of daily existence, is under their supervision.

### Behind The Scenes

You, the public, now and then have read in the newspapers of raids on brothels where child prostitution exists, and the buying and selling of children into slavery. Miss Harrop, and her office, is behind the scenes, trying desperately against the great odds of "squeeze," "stupidity," "illiteracy" and the well known "hush-hush system" to give these human beings a decent, clean and, at least, orderly life.

The immigration of Chinese women and children out of the Colony to Indo-China, the Straits and other ports is closely watched by Miss Harrop's office. There have been found cases where young girls and children have been taken to these ports and sold into prostitution or slavery. The League of Nations have requested Miss Harrop to write a report regarding Chinese immigration due to her first-hand knowledge on the subject.

In hundreds of ways the Lady Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs is giving her brain-power and strength towards erasing the ignorant heritage hundreds of Chinese women and children are carrying through their lives.

## CLAN CHIEFTAIN CASE REOPENS

### Girl And Kinsman As Rival Claimants

The legal dispute over the chieftaincy of the Macleans of Ardour, which began in August, 1935, when the girl claimant, Miss Catherine Louise Maclean was 16, is to be reopened, and protracted arguments are expected.

Last December Sir Francis Grant, the Lord Lyon King of Arms, gave judgment without naming either Miss Maclean or her kinsman, Lt. Cmdr. Henry Hugh Maclean, of Bursledon, as chief of the clan. He said it was a social distinction beyond his power to impose on a clan if they declined to recognise it.

Miss Maclean was, however, granted the right to bear the arms, conjointly with her four sisters, of her father, who was chieftain when he died in 1935.

There have also been several hearings of the case in the second division of the Court of Session, Edinburgh.

In a petition presented to Lord Alton of Liverpool at this court Miss Maclean was described as "Chieftainess of Ardour," while Lt. Cmdr. Maclean was designated "18th Chieftain of Ardour."

No Complete Ruling  
Mr. Hector MacKinnon, for Lt. Cmdr. Maclean, said he was not satisfied that the Lord Lyon had given a complete ruling, and asked that the case should be put on the Summer Roll so that two points could be decided:

Which of the rival claimants should be chief according to the supposed rules of succession among Highland clans; and

If Henry Maclean was recognised as chieftain, would he be entitled to supporters as such.

Lord Alton said he would place the matter on the Summer Roll for hearing.

## BEAUTY FOR THE BEACH

A New sunburn preparation is made in solid form, like a cake of soap. It fits comfortably in the hand and is covered with perforated paper. You tear off the paper bit by bit as you use the block. It is packed in a smart emerald green carton, so there is no risk of breakage or spilling when travelling.

A new make-up bag for the beach is oval shaped, covered with white pigskin and lined throughout with oiled silk. A flap, fitted with beauty preparations, lets down at one side, the interior of the bag being kept free for personal belongings.

Another model is a shelf bag. The base of the bag is formed by an oblong box (the bag will sit down without collapsing; a useful trick on a sandy beach) and is fitted out with every make-up need. It is detachable and can be carried separately if desired.

The bag is in washable fabric, with a crinkled shade, and you get it in pastel shades.

The eyes need special care when on holiday. A neat outfit to take away contains eyedrops, dropper and a special oil for painting round the eyes to prevent sun wrinkles.

A few drops of toilet lotion ("Flower Mist") is a new and lovely

## THURSDAY'S MENU

### BREAKFAST

Orange Juice  
Cereal  
Scrambled Eggs  
with Dried Beef  
Coffee

### LUNCHEON

Barley Soup  
Stuffed Tomato Salad  
Macaroni and Cheese Baked  
String Beans  
Creamed Potatoes  
Popovers  
Danish Cake  
Iced Tea

### DINNER

Fruit Cocktail  
Vegetable Salad  
Creamed Sweetbreads  
French Fried Potatoes  
Green Peas  
Carrot Souffle  
Tapioca Pudding  
Coffee

(perfume) added to the suds in which you wash your lingerie, will scent your clothes deliciously.

## NEWSETTES

The Rev. D. Rosenthal will be the speaker at the Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group on Sunday at 9 p.m.

The Y.M.C.A. Launch Picnic on Saturday, July 22, will start from Kowloon at 2.30 p.m.

Mr. Wong Shui-ki, of the Government, Clerical Service, celebrates his birthday to-day.

All Air Raid Precaution lectures at the Maryknoll Convent School have now terminated.

Mr. Clem Ah-chee manager of Mayson and Co., is leaving for New Zealand to-morrow and expects to be away for several months.

To-morrow the Central British School will hold a Swimming Gala at the Y.M.C.A. Pool from 9 to 11 a.m.

A meeting of voluntary helpers in connection with the forthcoming fair at St. Andrew's will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday, July 20, at 11 a.m.

The Hongkong and Yau-mat Ferry Co. is opening a new bathing pavilion at Silver Mine Bay and the formal opening will take place at 4 p.m. on Saturday. A special ferry will leave the Yau-mat Ferry Wharf at 2 p.m.

Sir George McLaren Brown, formerly European general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, whose unexpected death in Toronto at the age of 74 was announced on June 28, spent 28 of his 50 years' service with the company in England.

Replying to Chairman Lin Sen's message on the second anniversary of the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek says that he will redouble his efforts to expell the invaders and consummate the task of national reconstruction.

The "Chung Hwa Jih Pao," Wang Ching-wei's mouthpiece, is virtually banned from circulation as newsboys still refuse to distribute it, states a Shanghai message. Three delegates were sent by the Japanese authorities to extend congratulations to the paper when it re-appeared on Monday.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has received a message from Mr. Chen Shou-ming, member of the People's Political Council, who is an influential overseas Chinese in Siam, that patriotic donations amounting to \$700,000 were collected from overseas Chinese in Siam on the second anniversary of the start of the Sino-Japanese hostilities. Taking the lead, Mr. Chen himself contributed \$60,000.

## YESTERDAY'S REGISTRY WEDDING

MR. H. F. PHILLIPS & MRS. R. B. FERRAND

Mr. Hubert Francis Phillips, manager of the Kowloon branch of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and Mrs. Rosalene Bertha Ferrand were married yesterday afternoon at the Registry, Supreme Court.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Registrar of Marriages, officiated. The bride was given away by Mr. F. B. Winter, while Mr. W. T. Yoxall was bestman.

Mrs. Phyllis Winter and Mr. C. C. Blake were also witnesses of the ceremony.

A reception was afterwards given for the happy couple by Sir Vandeleur Grayburn, Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, at the Bank Mess, where a large gathering of friends and colleagues gathered to offer their good wishes.

Mr. Winter proposed the toast, and Mr. Phillips suitably replied.

### Bride's Dress

The bride wore a long, grey organza dress from "Ann Todd," London, and carried a spray of stephanotis. Her going-away costume was a navy blue linen suit, with a white blouse, red belt and a white summer felt hat with accessories to match.

The latter costume and the greater part of the bride's trousseau were designed by Mdm. Sophie Costides, of "Eunice."

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips will leave in the Empress of Asia this evening for their honeymoon in Manila.

## ROSARY CHURCH

Mr. F. A. Gill Weds Miss B. M. Sarrazolla

The wedding of Miss Beatrice Maria Sarrazolla Xavier to Mr. Francisco Antonio Gill yesterday afternoon at three-thirty-five o'clock, in the flower decked Rosary Church, Kowloon was performed by Rev. Father L. M. Rossi, and attended by approximately one-hundred guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Xavier, of Kowloon. She passed down the church aisle decorated with arches of greens and white flowers, on the arm of her father.

The bridal costume was fashioned of fine, delicate, white silk lace over white satin. Attached to Miss Xavier's head, by a white shell halo, was a five yard white silk tulle embroidered veil, which had a foundation of a lace train matching the bridal gown.

In her arms the bride carried white lilies.

Attending the bride was her sister, Miss Celeste Xavier.

Mr. Gill is the son of the late Mr. P. Gill and Mrs. P. Gill. He was attended by Mr. Edward M. Heller as bestman. Mr. F. Remedios acted as usher.

### The Reception

On the conclusion of the church ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the Peninsula Hotel where a reception was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill will leave for a honeymoon trip to Singapore in the Conte Rosso. Returning to the Colony they will take residence, Mr. Gill being associated with Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews in Hongkong.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced.—Pte. James Robson, of the 1st Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, and Miss Maria Avila, of No. 47, Pitt Street, Yau-mat.

Mr. Tung Sik-kwong, merchant, of No. 212, Wanchai Road, ground floor, and Miss Au Yung Wai-han, of No. 15, Gilmair Street.

## BLACK LOOKS COOL

All-black ensembles were a hot wave fashion set by smart shoppers in Bond-street on a recent morning. Women wore diphonous, full skirted black frocks, with black accessories and hats.

A demure little dress of black tulle, with a tiny waistline and buttoned bodice, was the choice of one debutante. She completed the picture by her "Salvation Army" shaped bonnet of shiny black straw.

Brightest prints were worn by other young girls. The majority had no hats on their elaborately curled Edwardian coiffures, but adopted instead the Continental fashion of wearing sun glasses.

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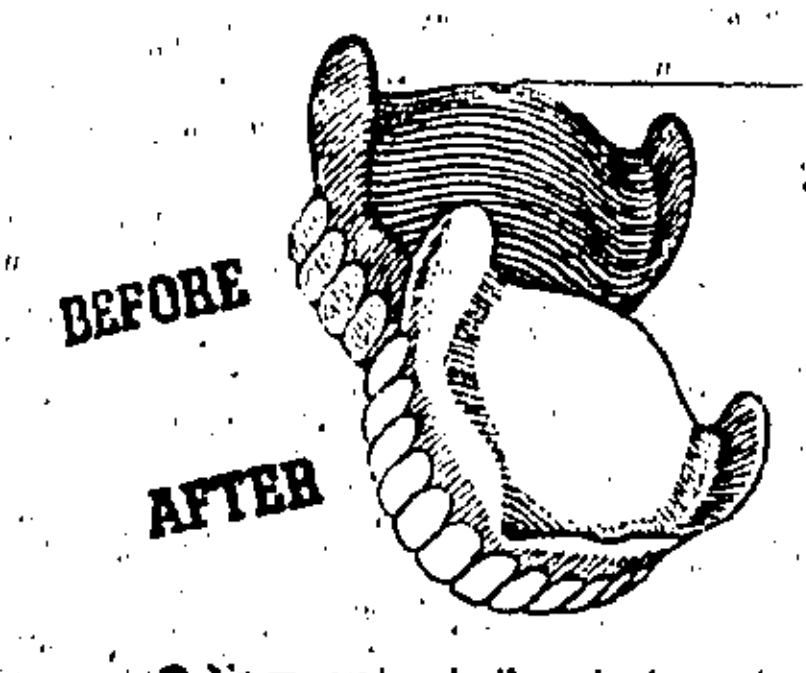
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## SUBMISSIONS BY DEFENCE

### Claim Heard Against Godown Company

Hearing of the case in which the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China is suing the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. (Holt's Wharf) for alleged wrongful conversion or, alternatively, for breach of contract, continued in the Supreme Court yesterday before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor.

The case arose from the conviction and sentence to four years' hard labour in May last year of U Chan-jong, principal of Torbor and Company, for obtaining goods by means of forged delivery orders. The Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jnr., instructed by Mr. R. A. Wadson, is appearing for plaintiffs, while the defence is conducted by Mr. Eldon Potter, K. C., instructed by Mr. M. M. Watson.

Continuing his submissions, Mr. Potter said that the godown company, in delivering the goods, was only honouring the endorsement of the bank on the back of the delivery order, which was Torbor and Company's delivery order. What was the godown company to deliver, asked Mr. Potter. Obviously, what Torbor Company specified. The bank did not state what quantity was to be delivered to Torbor. The endorsement was an unlimited endorsement.

#### LIMIT AUTHORITY

If the bank wanted to limit the authority, it could have adopted the procedure as it had since done, that is to say expressly describe in writing in many places the number of cases to be delivered.

The godown company in the case was confronted with a document which, on the face of it, was complete and regular. There was no notice that the document was irregular or that it was forged. In such circumstances, and in the absence of any notice to the contrary, the document was authentic in every particular, and the position in law was that the godown company was entitled to act on it.

Actually, what the bank's endorsement signified was to deliver what Torbor and Company asked for, there being no mention of any specific goods.

Mr. Potter produced authorities in support of his argument, and said that the position was different from cases of cheques and bills of exchange, to which Mr. D'Almada had referred.

The case will be resumed to-day.

## SAILORS, SOLDIERS BEFORE COURT

### Restaurant Case Resumed

Further evidence was heard before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday in the case in which seven British sailors and three soldiers were charged with causing damage in the Ying King Restaurant, to the total value of \$88, on June 1.

McCall denied that he had left his compartment in the restaurant to strike a waiter. He also said he did not throw anything.

Morrison told the Court that he went into the restaurant for beer. Later he ordered some more, but was told he would not be served as it was past the hour.

F. Bonfield, Master-at-Arms, gave evidence that he was in charge of a picket on the morning in question, and met McCall and Stewart. The latter told him they had been attacked by Chinese in the restaurant.

The hearing was adjourned to July 17.

## CRIMINAL SESSIONS FOR JULY

### 16 CASES DOWN FOR TRIAL

The July Criminal Sessions will commence at the Supreme Court on Monday, when the call-over of the following cases will be taken:

Un Shiu-ki, charged with extortion and demanding money with menaces, and Joseph Herbert Edward Edwards, charged with demanding money with menaces. Defendants were committed on June 30.

George Tong, alias Tong Fat, alias La Cha Tong, committed on July 29 for robbery.

Cheng Siu-chi and Chu Sing, committed on June 30 for possession of dangerous drugs.

Wong Shum, committed on July 3 for possession of dangerous drugs.

Tam Kwok-chi, alias Tam Sal-hoi, committed on July 5 for robbery.

Lau Man-chu, committed on July 6 on charges of assault with intent to rob and possession of arms and ammunition.

Wong King, committed on July 6 for breach of a deportation order.

Lo Choi, committed on July 6 for breach of a deportation order.

Lee Chan, committed on July 7 for attempted murder.

Wong Chan, committed on July 7 for possession of dangerous drugs.

Yip Sze, committed on June 16 for breach of a deportation order.

Ng Ting, committed on June 24 for breach of a deportation order.

Wong Tung, committed on July 4 for possession of dangerous drugs.

Chan Yuet, committed on July 7 on charges of armed robbery and wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.

Yau Sang, alias Li Sang, committed on June 10 for breach of a deportation order.

Tsang Sang, committed on June 10 for breach of a deportation order.

The last two cases were called at the June Criminal Sessions, but were remanded till this month.

### ADOPTED GIRL BUT MADE NO REPORT

Unable to endure the hard work of stone breaking, a 14-year-old girl ran away from her guardian and complained to her natural mother of her troubles. Subsequently the mother and child went to the S. C. A. to make a report and the guardian, Ip Ng, a widow, was detained and charged with failing to report the custody of a ward.

She pleaded guilty to the charge before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court yesterday, and was fined \$10, or, in default, four weeks' hard labour.

The girl was presented to the defendant when she was eight years old as an adopted daughter for the sum of \$50, and the defendant, a stone-breaker herself, admitted that the girl had been helping her in the work.

Inspector H. W. Fraser prosecuted.

### SLEEPER ROBBED

Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court yesterday, charged with attempted larceny, Wong Lim, unemployed, was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

Wong was said to have cut the belt, on which was attached a purse, belonging to Li Chi who was sleeping on the pavement on Tuesday night.

A further charge of breach of the Deportation Ordinance was preferred on Wong, the hearing of which was adjourned till July 17.

## LAI D TO REST

### Funeral Of Mrs. Olivia Boyd

The funeral took place at the Colonial Cemetery yesterday of Mrs. Olivia Gertrude Boyd, wife of Mr. J. McAllister Boyd, of the Sanitary Department, who died at the Kowloon Hospital on Tuesday.

The Rev. K. MacKenzie Dow officiated at the graveside.

The pall bearers were Messrs. King, Purves, Simpson, Williams, Fowler and Poole.

Many of the deceased's husband's colleagues were present including Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. J. Simpson, Messrs. T. Cashman, C. Strange, G. W. Bowden, T. H. W. King, Mrs. E. Greenberg, Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Marston.

Family wreathes from husband, mother, brother and auntie were interred with the casket. Other floral tributes were sent by the following:

Mr. and Mrs. McClelland and John, from All At Home, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. T. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Duxon, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gibbons, Dickey Gibbons, Mr. E. P. Sammons, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Everest and family, Auntie Mable (Shanghai), Mrs. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. C. Strange, Mr. G. N. Davitt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fogwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. T. Seddon and family, Your old pal Gladys (Robertson), Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Strange, J. M., K.B.N., D.H., R.F.J., Mr. R. R. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. E. Eardly and Grege, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Budden and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. O. Simmonds, Mr. and Mrs. Powle, Mr. T. A. Povill, Mr. Houston, Bill and Mrs. Simpson and family, Charles Austen-Holfer, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clemo, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dennis, Mr. H. L. Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bennett, Eve and George Frost, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dinnen and Alec, Dr. Rhys Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bowden, Mr. G. Nab, Paddy.

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Chinese staff C.D.O., J. A. Windsor and Co., Members of the Kowloon F.C., Royal Naval Dockyard Police, Kowloon Golf Club, European Y.M.C.A., Chinese Sanitary Inspectors Shumshui Office, European Staff Kowloon District Station, Interpreters and Chinese Clerical staff Kowloon District Station, Chinese Sanitary Inspectors Kowloon District Station, Kowloon City Sanitary Office staff, Senior Sanitary Inspector C.D.O.

### MR. E. J. FERREIRA

The funeral of Mr. E. J. Ferreira, who died at his residence, No. 117, Nathan Road, early yesterday morning after a long illness, took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery yesterday. The Rev. Fr. Rossi officiated at the graveside.

The deceased was the son of Mr.

## Application To Presume Death

### HAWAII CLIPPER LOSS ECHO

An application to presume the death of Watson Choy, alias Choy Wah-sun, merchant of Jersey City, New Jersey, U. S. A., who was a passenger on board the Hawaii Clipper when it was lost in the Pacific Ocean on July 23 last year, was brought in the Supreme Court yesterday, by Choy Fel-ling, younger brother.

The application was heard by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, and Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K. C., instructed by Mr. F. M. Hodgson, appeared for the applicant.

#### Intending Visit

Mr. Sheldon said that the applicant received a letter from his brother, dated June 23 last, in which the latter announced his intention of visiting China, and his hope to reach here at the end of July. On July 5 he received another letter which said that deceased would travel by plane.

On August 7, applicant received a cable from deceased's nephew, Choy Sang-yu, saying that deceased was on board the Hawaii Clipper, which was then reported missing.

Watson Choy, said Mr. Sheldon, boarded the plane on July 21 and departed from San Francisco on July 23. The fact that deceased was a passenger on board was confirmed by the office of Pan-American Airways.

Several affidavits were produced in support of the application, which was granted.

A. R. Ferreira, of the Hongkong Electric Company, and Mrs. Ferreira.

Besides the chief mourners there were present: Messrs. W. Hicks, H. Hicks, A. Ribeiro, H. Soares, S. Souza, D. Silva, J. Alves, F. Silva, C. Silva, J. Pereira, C. Sequeira, H. A. de B. Bothelo, H. Britto, C. Silva-Netto, G. White, M. Marques, F. Cunha, J. Pinna, D. Souza, F. Barros, A. Gonsalves and many others.

Bouquet from father and mother and a wreath from grandparents were buried with the remains.

Wreathes were sent by: Brothers and Sisters, Mrs. C. Matos and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Silva, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. White, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grose, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Larken and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. da Silva, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Maher and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Xavier and family, Local Staff, H. E. Co., European Staff, H. E. Co., Portuguese Co., H.K.V.D.C., Mr. A. Poole, Jack and Jerry Coleman, Sonny, Tiddy and family, Kwong Hing Co., J. Hoffman.

Chinese staff, H. E. Co. Show-room, Auntie Rosie and Uncle Pat, Augusta, Sara and Nina, Reggie, Mrs. U. Bernardo, Auntie Hipolita and Uncle Pat, Mr. J. H. Boza, Auntie Selma, Uncle Joe and Cousins, Charlie, C. M. de Sousa, A. Friend, Maria Della, Roberts, Emmanuel and Carlos, Fred N. Cunha.

### RONALD D. PRATT

The remains of Ronald David Pratt, nine-month-old son of Sergeant and Mrs. Pratt, of the Seaforth Highlanders, who died at the Kowloon Hospital on Tuesday morning, were laid to rest in the Colonial Cemetery yesterday.

The Rev. J. E. Sandbach, Methodist Chaplain, officiated.

The chief mourners were the parents. Pall bearers were Sgt. Moffat, Sgt. Webster, Cpl. Hamilton and L/Cpl. Mekk. Others present included P. S. M. McKay, Sgt. Mayne, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Ackroyd, Mrs. Cottee, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Jehu and Mrs. Coleman.

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The Tarantula was towed to the Colony by H. M. S. Cleala, which was exercising in the vicinity.

Transport in Trouble  
SHANGHAI July 12 (Reuter)—The Japanese transport Taisan Maru No. 2 is aground on Saddle Islands. The British steamer Isabel Moller is standing by.

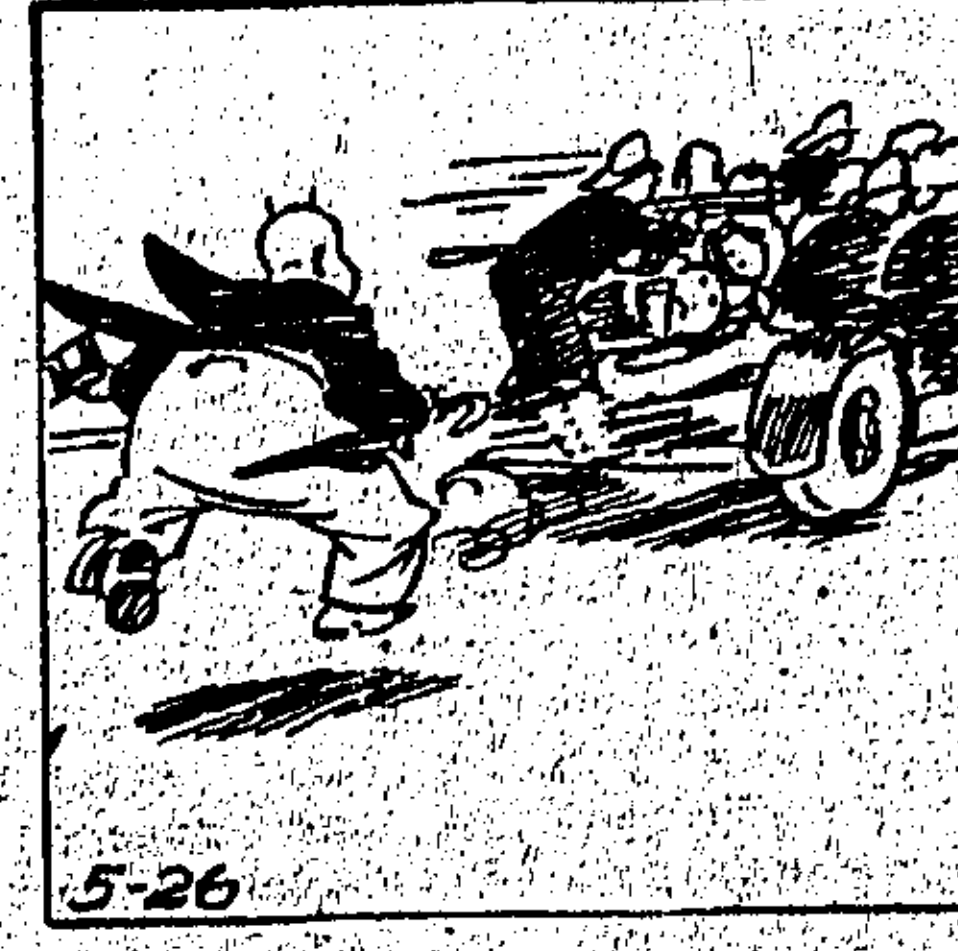
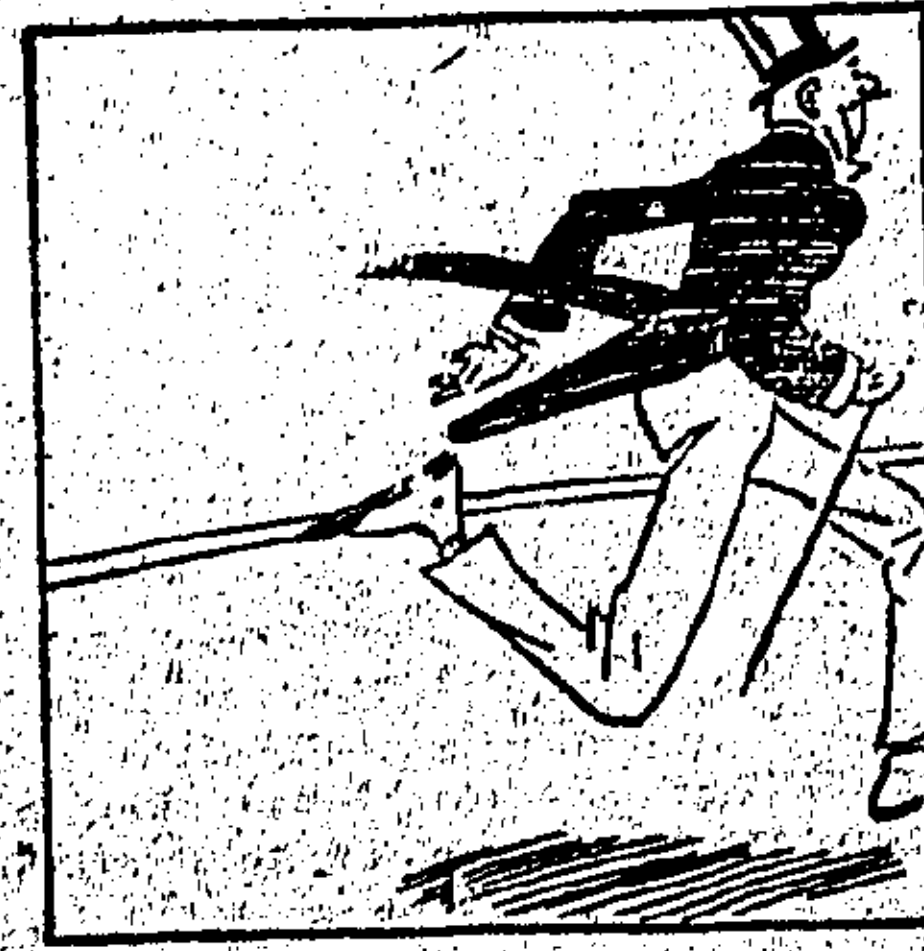
## STORY OF TWO SERGE SUITS

Desiring two serge suits, Badlu Ram, of the Rajputana Rifle gave to a Chinese tailor, Cheung Yat, last March 20, 15 yards of serge cloth.

Cheung Yat absconded with the cloth. He was arrested on Tuesday in Shanghai Street. He pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny at Kowloon Court yesterday, and was sentenced to eight weeks with hard labour. Badlu Ram, who valued the cloth at \$21, did not get it back.

Dad, Aunt Tasse and family, Uncles Willie, George, Arthur and families, Grandad, Sgt. M. Rodgers, Sgt. and Mrs. Sutherland, Capt. and Mrs. D. K. Macrae, Ronnie Grant, Married families of the Seaforth, Sgt. Mess Seaforth, All Ranks Seaforth.

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Hong Kong, 11th July, 1939.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 17th day of July, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Mong Kok, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

### PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
2	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4186.	Between Kowloon Inland Lots Nos. 3387 & 3370, Situated at Yee Street, Mong Kok.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan	About 4,240	78
						10,600

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No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
3	Inland Lot No. 5595.	Junction of King's Rd. and Wing Hing Street.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan	About 4,300	89
						13,000

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## Fine Entertainment At The Queen's

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The supporting programme of shorts takes nine entertainment.

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## GT. BRITAIN'S GUARANTEE

MR. NEVILLE Chamberlain's statement in the House of Commons with reference to the policy of Great Britain insofar as the Danzig situation is concerned was marked by its clarity and firmness, and should leave no doubt in the minds of Herr Hitler and his colleagues that, since we have guaranteed to give our assistance to Poland in case there is a clear threat to her independence, we are firmly resolved to carry out this undertaking.

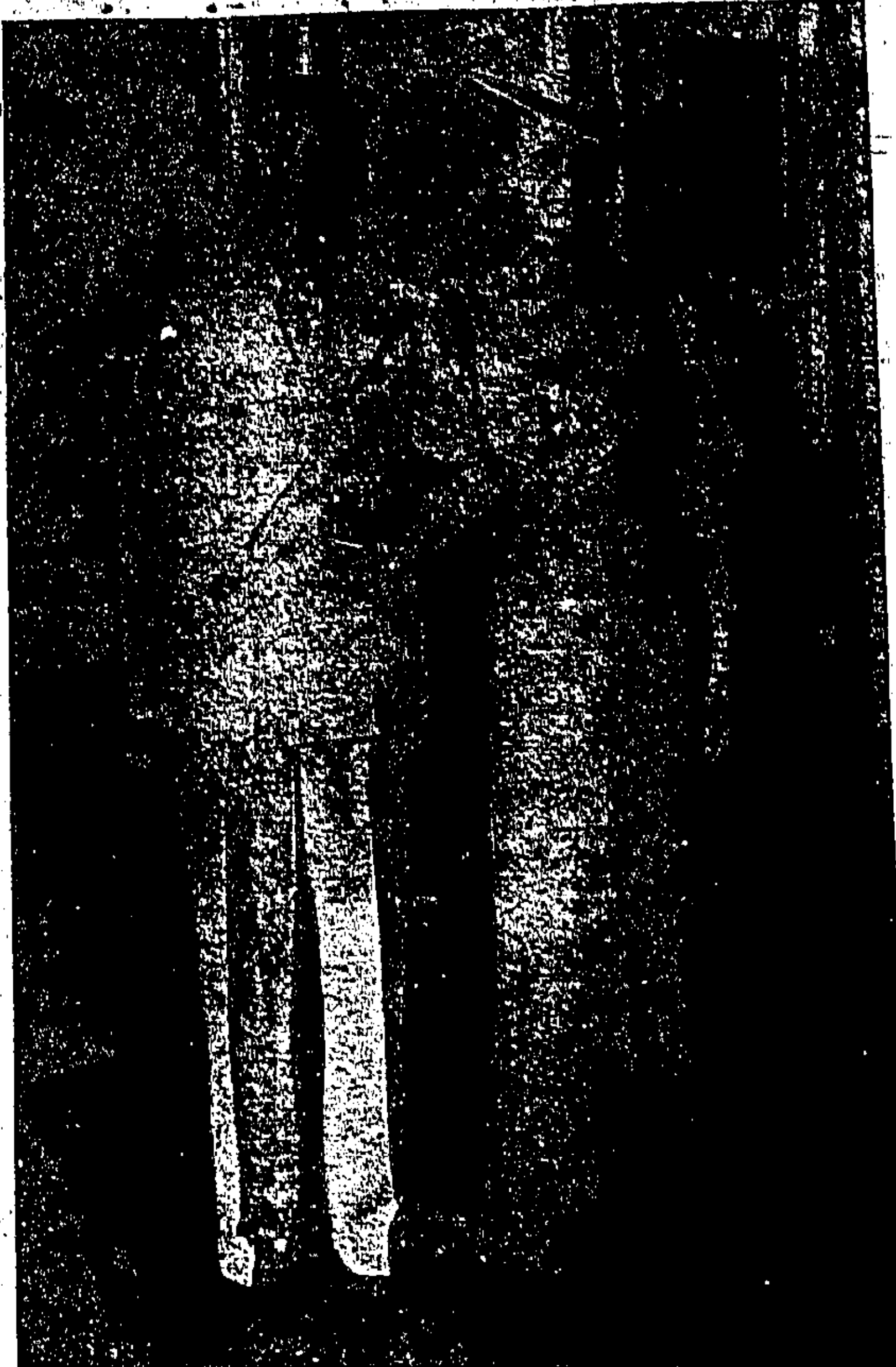
UNDOUBTEDLY, Germany must consider carefully the consequences that will ensue if she decides to plunge the world into another disastrous catastrophe over Danzig. Her purposed desire for peace notwithstanding, every action she has taken in past weeks would tend to show that she is intent on making the issue one likely to menace peace, for Hitler is not ready to consent to a reconciliation with Poland unless the latter agrees to his demand and gives up Danzig. The mere fact that the Reichsfuehrer is remaining at Berghof, for some time, without returning to Berlin would indicate a postponement of what action he had intended to take but it by no means suggests that he has permanently abandoned his idea of securing the return of Danzig to the Reich.

POLAND, however, is not likely to give up the Free City to Germany simply for the asking. Indeed, she is determined not to allow Hitler to have his way, as he did with Austria, Czechoslovakia and Memelland and is prepared to uphold her rights by the use of force, if necessary. Accordingly, she has taken defensive measures to cope with the menacing attitude adopted by Germany. True, she wants peace and seeks peace but, if she is not allowed to live in peace, then she will be compelled to defend herself.

IN HIS ADDRESS to Commons, the Prime Minister did not attempt to minimize the seriousness of the situation nor did he resort to sabre-rattling but he left no ground for misunderstanding as to the intentions of the British Government. No grauntlet was thrown down but Herr Hitler was warned with all frankness that there could be no unilateral denunciation of a pact concerning the Free City of Danzig which he himself ratified and guaranteed up to 1944. And any threat which Hitler might make to Poland or her independence will be resisted.

THE GERMAN PRESS has been engaged in a campaign of lies and calumnies against Great Britain who is accused of having encouraged Poland to adopt the strong line of action that she has, but Mr. Chamberlain did not hesitate to expose these and point out that Britain's guarantee to Warsaw was given on March 31, eight days after Poland had adopted defensive measures.

IT IS to be hoped that Herr Hitler will not provoke war over Danzig but, if he does, he will do so with his eyes open and at Germany's risk and he will find that Britain will firmly honour her undertakings and that the peoples of Britain, France and Poland will take up, as one man, any challenge which he may



Mr. H. F. Phillips, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and his bride, formerly Mrs. Rosaleen Bertha Ferrand, after their marriage at the Registry yesterday. (Photo. Ming Yuen).

## CANTON INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS SERVICE CORPS. APPEAL FOR ASSISTANCE

Special to the "Hongkong Daily Press"

The Canton International Red Cross Service Corps, in its report for May, 1939, draws attention to the dwindling down of stocks of medicine owing to the continued air raids on Shikwan and the increased transportation difficulties with the attendant risks which such trips would entail.

The burden of caring for those injured in the raids were shared with the Methodist Hospital in Shikwan but accommodation there has been taxed to the limit and the Government had to take over the care of a number of war orphans.

The clinics at Heungfa, Linshan and Mapa have been well patronized throughout the month.

### Urgent Appeal

The report appeals not only for good wishes, but also for help for maintenance, while there is also still room for doctors and nurses. There is an urgent need for fresh supplies of quinine owing to the increase in the number of malarial patients.

A tribute is paid to the members of the corps, mostly young girls, who have worked so hard in the interests of humanity for the past eight months. Their loyalty has been magnificent and their cheerfulness in the face of numerous difficulties and hardships has never failed.

Those in sympathy with their work are requested to remember these valiant workers who need help and comfort in the work they have undertaken.

### Air Raid Precautions

The report has many interesting

comments to make on the air raid precautions taken in Shikwan. As the hospital is situated in a most prominent position and may well prove an attractive target to the enemy, as experience in other places have shown, a trench has been dug in the grounds and all members of the corps, who are not on duty, have been instructed to seek its shelter on the first alarm of an impending raid.

Statistical details attached to the report show that at the moment the corps consists of 8 doctors, 4 medical students, 18 sisters, 11 nurse-aids and 20 nursing students.

### Patients Treated

In the Shikwan Hospital for wounded soldiers 105 in-patients were treated in November and December last year, while from Dec. 16 to Jan. 31, in the six Government hospitals 94 in-patients and 4,543 out-patients were attended and treated. The grand total of soldiers and civilians treated from November 1938 to May 1939 was 46,026.

The report states that casualties are still heavy, despite all precautions, and raids have to be taken very seriously. If those who have the misfortune to be injured are to be alleviated in their sufferings,

## COMMUNIST PARTY FUKIEN INVASION WARNING THREAT

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The principal task confronting the Chinese nation is, therefore, to check all possible developments in this direction in order to avert a future calamity. Attacking the movement in favour of a compromise, the manifesto asserts that the fundamental ideas inspiring a "Munich" in the Far East are the same to those operating in Europe, and the effects of such a policy in China would also be similar.

### Punishment for Waverers

A circular letter addressed by the Communist party to Chinese national leaders repeats the points advanced in the manifesto and demands that the Government should punish all Chinese citizens who adopt an attitude favourable to compromise.

thrown down. The German Fuehrer has been given ample warning. The decision as to whether Europe is to have war or enjoy peace rests solely with him.

## Britons To Refuse Evacuation Order

SHANGHAI, July 12 (Reuter)—

The Japanese authorities to-day notified the consular body that military operations are about to commence against Chuanchow, Tungshan and Chaoanhsen on Fukien province and requested the immediate evacuation of all third power nationals and vessels including warships.

It is understood that the British authorities, in the reply to the notification, will insist on the right of British ships and nationals to remain, enter or leave these points, and will inform the Japanese that they will be held responsible for any damage to British life, property or interests.

### AGAIN!

TIENTSIN, July 12 (Reuter)—The Japanese military spokesman announced to-day that "mopping up" operations have been completed in the Tientsin-Pukow railway zone.

## Hello & Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

Those three typhoons playing around in the China Sea have been giving the local weather bureau and travel companies the big headache.

The m.v. Gneissau, of N.D.L., arrived several hours late at mid-night last night and is leaving this morning for Shanghai.

The President Pierce was late, arriving last night at nine o'clock, and due to depart late to-night for Shanghai.

The Empress of Asia evidently had difficulties on her way down from Shanghai, and this steamer will not put in an appearance before 4 o'clock this afternoon, she leaves for Manila early Friday morning.

More information about air routes in this part of the world was recently released by the Japanese Government. A new route from Yokohama to Palau will be inaugurated any day now. After many tests it was found that the regular air service between Japan and the Mandate Islands in the Southern Pacific can be flown as follows: 10 to 11 hours for the distance of 1,620 miles from Yokohama to Saipan, 5 hours 15 minutes for the 950 miles from Saipan to Palau.

It is intended to fly the route once in every 14 days at present, and of course, the development of this route will result in an advance of commerce to the Mandate Islands.

And around the world on a leisurely vacation by air, with the thrill of crossing the Atlantic Ocean in a Pan American Airways clipper, thrown in, is Mr. J. Rapaport. This gentleman of law, attorney, calls Allantown Pennsylvania, home and will take the Philippine Clipper, Saturday for San Francisco. Then into another plane, crossing the country of America to his embarking destination, New York city. He likes flying, he is having a grand time, and he finds it very inexpensive.

Ar France

Imperial Airways Inward week-end service arrived at Kai Tak, Monday afternoon, Captain A. B. Dykes and Captain J. N. Wilson commanding the Dorado and Dardanus, respectively.

That tall, giant of a handsome man Mr. M. Goldenberg, formerly a resident of our city and now supervising the B.A.T. office in Haiphong, came dashing up for a business conference from Hanoi. However, his stay was short; he went flying back to his desk in Indo-China via the Air France service which departed from Kai Tak, Wednesday, 2 p.m.

Mr. C. Lawrence has been in a hurry since he departed from Calcutta via Imperial Airways. He was still in a hurry to get to Shanghai and his office and home. His air journey has been for business.

Mr. M. H. Curtis, number one over in the local Imperial Airways office came back from a week of inspecting "what's going on in the company in Bangkok." He reported "the trip was most enjoyable and comfortable, as usual." Now, Colony was limited to few hours.

Mr. E. Vilmin was reported to be a round-tripper, returning to Hanoi on the southbound service, consequently, his stay in the Colony was limited to few hours.

## FIFTH ANNIVERSARY: Russian Orthodox Church Spiritual Head Honoured

The fifth anniversary of the arrival in Hongkong of Father Dimitri Ouspenski, spiritual head of the Russian Orthodox Church in South China, and the Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul falling coincident yesterday, the Russian Orthodox community donned festive garb to honour the occasion.

There was a service in the morning at the Church in Jordan Road, and in the evening a representative cross-section of the 150 members of the Church in the Colony foregathered at St. Andrew's Church Hall to warmly congratulate Father Dimitri on his five years as spiritual guide to their community.

Father Dimitri was appointed to the post in South China five years ago, after several years with the Russian Orthodox Mission in Peking. He studied for the Priesthood at the Theological College in Vladimirovsk, and held a scholarship also at the Institute of Far Eastern Languages in Vladivostok. He is an accomplished scholar in the Chinese language and a Sino-logist of repute.

On the occasion of his anniversary, he wished the members of his flock all such bountiful blessing as life would bestow.

### HEARTFELT THANKS

An address of appreciation from the members of his Church to Father Dimitri, offering him all heartfelt thanks for the zeal and care with which he had guided the destinies of the Russian Orthodox Church in South China through the last five years, was read by Mr. M. J. Nesteroff.

Mr. Nesteroff read two congratulatory letters to Father Dimitri, one from the Russian Orthodox Bishop of Shanghai and

The British Cabinet met for two hours yesterday morning and discussed the progress of the Anglo-Soviet negotiations, says a Reuter message from London.



## U.S. POSTPONES NEUTRALITY ISSUE SENATOR PITTMAN'S STRONG COMMENTS

### PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT EXPRESSES ANXIETY FOR FUTURE EVENTS

WASHINGTON, July 12 (Reuter)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee decided, by 12 votes to 11, to postpone consideration of the neutrality issue until the next session.

Among those who voted for the postponement were Senator George and Senator Gillette, two Democrats whom President Roosevelt opposed at the last election for their criticism of his domestic policy.

Others voting for the postponement were Senators Reynolds, Vanhuys, Clark, Shipstead, White, Vemdenberg, Lafollette, Johnson, Carper and Borah.

Immediately after the vote, it was reported that Senator Barkley, the Democratic leader, would try to take the issue to the floor of the Senate, which could be done if he secured the Senate's approval of a motion for the discharge of the committee from consideration of the neutrality legislation.

**War Supplies To Japan**  
Senator Key Pittman, who voted against postponement of the neutrality issue, revealed that he submitted to the committee a joint resolution empowering the President to restrict foreign commerce with any signatory to the Nine-Power Pact with China which discriminated against the American nation.

Such a measure had often been discussed in congressional circles as a means for providing economic action against Japan owing to her activities in China.

Senator Pittman said that the committee agreed to consider a resolution specifically

aimed at cutting off exports of war supplies to Japan, at a special meeting on Friday.

**Restricted Exports**  
Exports to be restricted or cut off entirely would include arms, ammunition and implements of war, such as steel, petrol, scrap-iron, scrap-steel, and scrap-metals.

Senator Pittman said he did not doubt there would be action on this resolution during this session.

**Mr. Hull's Statement**

In a statement yesterday, Mr. Cordell Hull said that the Administration would continue to urge its programme, which indicates that there will possibly be a bitter fight in the Senate over the question whether the Bloom Bill, approved by the House, is to be forced out of committee on to the floor of the Senate, where, Administration leaders claim, they have enough votes to repeal the arms embargo provision.

Replying to Mr. Hull's statement, Senator Nye said: "I do not think we are through with neutrality yet, but if the committee took five months to decide as they did to-day, how long do you think it would take the Senate to make up its mind?"

## BRITAIN NOT BLUFFING

### BERLIN AND ROME VIEWS ON PREMIER'S DANZIG STATEMENT

BERLIN, July 12 (Reuter)—Despite repeated assertions that there is nothing new in Mr. Chamberlain's Danzig statement, the press and official circles continue to comment on it.

The "Diplomatische Korrespondenz" admits that Britain is certainly not bluffing when "with suspicious eagerness" she supports the maintenance of the Danzig statute in some form.

Some commentators seize on the Premier's remarks that improvement is possible as an admission that the present situation is unjust.

German circles are still very upset, however, that no reference was made to the natural aspirations of the citizens of Danzig.

**An Invitation**

ROME July 12 (Reuter)—Fascist quarters stress Mr. Chamberlain's reference to the possibility of improving the Danzig statute and, despite the reiteration of British pledges, the statement is regarded as an invitation to the two parties to negotiate.

## Brazen Tokyo Statement

### "NOTHING KNOWN" OF TSINGTAO

TOKYO, July 12 (Reuter)—At a press conference to-day, the spokesman of the Foreign Office said that the agenda of the Anglo-Japanese conference will be decided only after the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, meets the Foreign Minister, Mr. Arita, probably next week.

It is expected that Mr. Arita will demand that Britain first of all express her willingness to maintain "strict neutrality in the China Incident."

The spokesman stated that the Japanese Government disassociated itself from the anti-British campaign at present going on throughout Japan. Asked whether the Japanese were fomenting the anti-British campaign in the Japanese-occupied areas in China, the spokesman retorted that the question was "insulting."

He added that he had no information on such "minor cases" as the recent attack on the British Consulate in Tsingtao and the detention of Lt.-Col. Spear. He did not know, likewise, whether the British authorities had been informed of the impending court martial of the military attaché or whether British representatives had been invited to be present.

## Japanese Blockade Of The French Concession In Hankow Possible

### PUPPET MAYOR'S DEMANDS REJECTED: STRONG STAND

HANKOW, July 12 (Reuter)—The possibility of a blockade of the French Concession has increased.

The French Consul-General, M. Reynaud, yesterday evening sent a note to Chang Jen-ii, the Japanese appointed Mayor of the city, rejecting his demands regarding the suppression of an attempt by Chinese demonstrators to hold a parade in the French Concession on July 7 on the occasion of the Second Anniversary of the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

Chang Jen-ii wrote to the French Consul-General demanding:

FIRSTLY, a formal apology for interference with the movement to establish a new order in East Asia;  
SECONDLY, the release of the flag distributor, Yang Toh;  
THIRDLY, the return of the flags and hand-bills seized.

#### French Consul's Reply

M. Reynaud's reply says:

FIRSTLY, an apology is due from the Mayor for not previously informing and obtaining permission from, the French authorities for the parade to pass through the French Concession;

SECONDLY, Yang Toh was never detained;  
THIRDLY, the flags had already been distributed and the hand-bills returned.

An official of the Chinese Municipality, when interviewed, said that if satisfaction was not obtained, water, electricity and general supplies would be cut off from the Concession. He did not, however, mention the time limit.

The report that the Chinese made a demand for de facto recognition by the French authorities of the Wuhan Municipality is incorrect.

## ANTI-BRITISH CAMPAIGN SPREADS TO CANTON DESPITE JAPANESE "BAN"

CANTON, July 12 (REUTER)—THOUGH THE JAPANESE AUTHORITIES HAVE "BANNED" ALL ANTI-BRITISH DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE CITY, A VIOLENT ANTI-BRITISH CAMPAIGN IS NOW BEING CONDUCTED BY THE CHINESE PRESS AND BY MEANS OF POSTERS AND PAMPHLETS.

Formerly the campaign was of a rather mild nature and concentrated principally on Hongkong. In one instance, the Chinese press asserted that the new Chinese regime would secure a return of the leased territories in Kowloon by the end of the year.

During the past few days, in connexion with the second anniversary of the conflict, anti-British propaganda has been very much intensified.

Posters of an anti-British nature have appeared throughout the city. One particular poster had a picture of Mr. Gandhi and some Indians kneeling before British troops, while the Union Jack with the words "British Imperialism in India" appeared below the drawing.

Slogans such as "End White Race Imperialism with Armed Resistance" and "China Should Recognize that her Enemy is British Imperialism" have appeared in pamphlets and are being freely distributed throughout the city.

Britain's "Misdeeds"  
In a special War Anniversary Supplement, one Chinese newspaper gives a record of British

## CHINESE ATTACK IN SOUTH

### GUERRILLA UNITS ON RAILWAY

CANTON, July 12 (Reuter)—According to a Japanese naval communiqué, Japanese marines attacked the Chinese forces at a point ten miles to the south of Pakai, near Kowloon, on July 8, resulting in the capture of Chianshek, about three miles to the west of Chungshan.

Severe fighting is said to be progressing at Sunchuen, near Chungshan.

#### Japanese Attacked

The presence of Chinese forces, mostly guerrilla units, along the Canton-Kowloon Railway was admitted recently by the Japanese spokesman at a press conference.

It was revealed that on the night of July 7, a force of 700 Chinese launched an attack on the Japanese position at Talon, a small village on the eastern bank of the Canton-Kowloon Railway in Tungshan District, about 35 miles from Canton.

About the same time, a detachment of about 400 Chinese attacked the Japanese troops stationed near Tungkun city.

#### Bombing Near Macao

MACAO, July 12 (Reuter)—The Chinese continued their resistance against Japanese attacks to-day along the Nemesis Canal, while planes dropped dozens of bombs, despite which the Chinese are keeping the invaders at bay.

Japanese planes again machine-gunned buses full of refugees and the Macao-Sheki highway was practically deserted.

#### PIERCE FIGHTING

(Reports from reliable sources reveal that fierce fighting took place during the past few days along the Canton-Kowloon Railway. During the engagements, the Chinese forces, under Gen. Ng Kei-wai, formerly Commander of the 9th Route Army, scored many victories over the Japanese.

After the fall of Nanchang, Gen. Ng retreated to Kiangsi, and lately three of his divisions returned to Kwangtung to take up battle against the aggressors.

Fighting was most severe at Shekiung, which was strongly garrisoned by the Japanese, and at Shektan and Taping also in Tung-koon. The latter is a small town near the railway, which had changed hands several times recently, the last being on July 10.

Gen. Ng's forces are adopting guerrilla tactics, and has inflicted heavy toll on the Japanese. It is believed the Chinese air force was also in action.

## Mongol Border Battles

### FIGHTING LINE EXTENDED

HSINGKING, July 12 (T/Ocean)—The Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese troops at the Manchukuan-Mongol front on Monday night stated that the Soviet Mongolian troops would soon be driven out from Manchukuan territory adding, however, that the hostile artillery would continue to be in a position to shell Manchukuan territory from the hills at the left bank of the Chaiha river.

According to the Japanese General, the hostile artillery is very strong and consists of 100 guns, including 12 cm trench-mortars. The actual fighting line, which originally has been only 20 kilometres during last days, extended 30 kilometres to the south-east from the Lake of Bulunor to the Chaiha River. The Japanese along these lines are preparing for a long and heavy artillery duel.

The Japanese General, commenting on the fighting since July 2, mentioned that the Japanese, expecting to meet the Mongolian troops, had engaged a number of Mongolian interpreters, but found to their surprise that nearly all troops opposing them were Soviet Russians.

#### Another Dispute

TOKYO, July 12 (T/Ocean)—The Japanese Ambassador in Moscow on Tuesday lodged an energetic protest with the Soviet Russian Foreign Commissar against the treatment of Japanese Concessions by the Soviet authorities in the northern part of Saghalien Island.

It is stated that the Japanese concession companies have been fined 700,000 roubles because of the alleged insufficient feeding of workers.

The Japanese point out that this was due to the fact that the Soviet Russian authorities intentionally delay the transport of foodstuffs to the Japanese concession companies.

The Russian authorities have confiscated the bank deposits of Japanese with local banks in north Saghalien and have threatened to confiscate the entire Japanese property unless the fine is paid by July 19.

## HOLIDAY-MAKERS WARNED

### Inadvisability Of Going To Tsingtao

TIENTSIN, July 12 (Reuter)—A warning to intending British holiday-makers that it is inadvisable for them to go to Tsingtao for the time being has been issued by the British authorities.

It is understood that the warning has been passed to all travel agencies and shipping companies in Shanghai and elsewhere in the Far East.

The British authorities, it is learned, have been prompted to issue this warning by what they consider the apparent inability of the Japanese to keep order in Tsingtao.

## TIENTSIN, HANKOW UNCONNECTED SAY JAPANESE

TIENTSIN, July 12 (Reuter)—

Asked at to-day's press conference whether there is any likelihood of local repercussions of the threatened blockade of the French Concession in Hankow, the Japanese spokesman stated that there is no connection between the Hankow incident and the Tientsin situation.

## CHINA WAR NEWS

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LOYANG, July 12 (Central)—Fighting in South Shansi has increased in severity as the Japanese, who, on July 8, captured Changtien and Chungsuai, south-east of Yicheng, continued their drive towards Tsinshui after combining with their comrades along the Yicheng-Tsinshui highway.

Tsinshui, according to an unconfirmed report, has been captured by the invaders, who are preparing to advance on Yangcheng in the south-east.

#### Japanese Withdraw

The Japanese, around Yustang, in south-west Shansi, are reported to have withdrawn inside the city as a result of intensified Chinese operations against them. A series of raids staged by the Chinese recently caused considerable losses to them.

A fleet of more than 20 Chinese planes bombed the Japanese positions at Linfen on July 7, the second anniversary of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, according to a belated report. Scores of missiles were released.

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### VIOLENT TYPHOON THREATENS S'HA

SHANGHAI, July 12 (Reuter)—Considerable damage to life and property is feared as a result of the approach of a violent typhoon. The No. 8 signal has already been raised.

The city is at present being subjected to drenching rain with terrific gusts of wind, which are blowing down boardings and tramway wires, uprooting trees and causing other minor damage.

So far six Chinese have already been killed by falling wires and boardings.

Many ships at Wusung and beyond are reported to be in distress.

## HITLER'S WREATH

At Herr Hitler's wish a German deputation, consisting of two directors of the Mercedes company and three racing drivers, bearing Herr Hitler's own wreath, attended the memorial service in London for the late Dick Seaman, one of the greatest racing drivers of our time.

Such incidents as this suggest the forces which all the time are fighting against the more obvious forces which seem to drive in the direction of war. Men who have fought side by side in the battles with which science makes her conquests can never think lightly of fighting on different sides.

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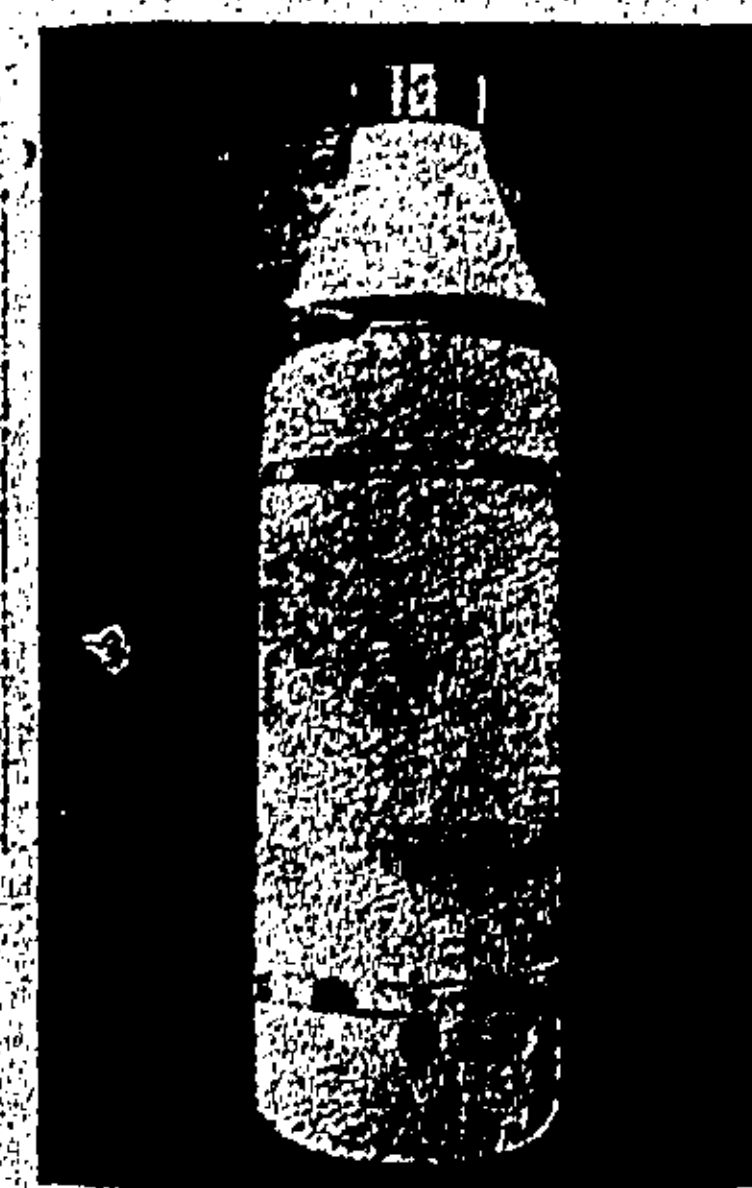
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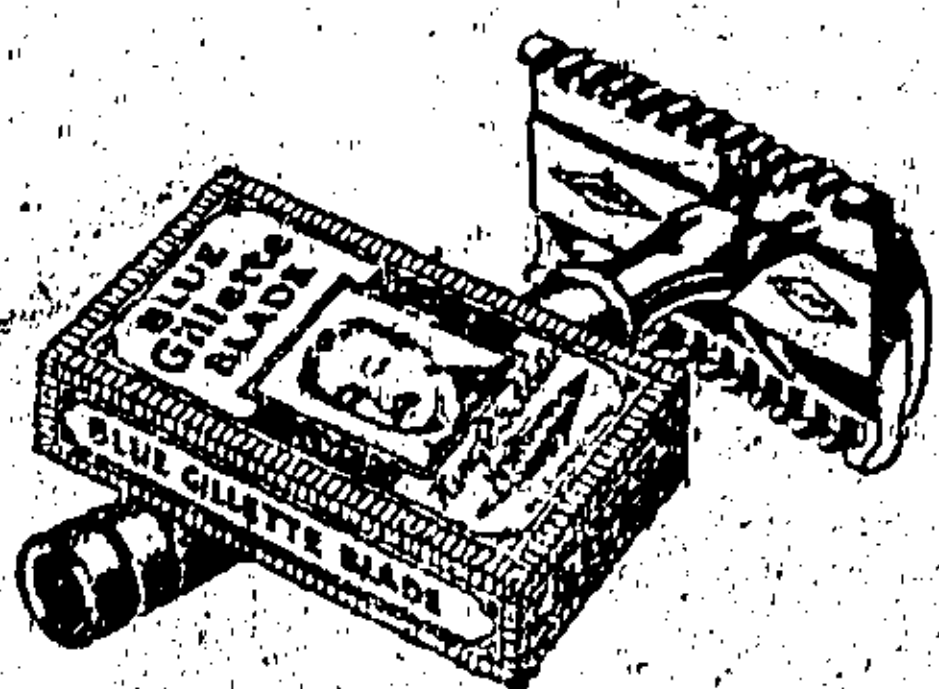
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## ASSISTANCE FOR H.K. STUDENTS

### WHAT VICTORIA LEAGUE OFFERS

The local Committee of the Victoria League, under the chairmanship of the Colonial Secretary, investigates cases of students from Hongkong proceeding to England who wish to avail themselves of the assistance offered by the League in London.

This assistance is gratuitous, and takes the form of meeting students, finding quarters, advising on educational matters and, as far as possible, helping in regard to admission to the Universities.

#### Every Facility

The League also gives facilities for visiting places of interest and generally in bringing students into contact with English social life. The League reports on the health of students and will, if so desired, act as guardians.

Students are furnished with personal introductions to prominent people, and are given the opportunity of visiting the Houses of Parliament, Hurlingham, and Ranelagh, besides attending many large receptions, dances and parties. The League will furnish personal reports on students under its care for the benefit of parents and guardians.

#### Kindly Advice

The report of Mr. A. G. Morkill, joint secretary for the Committee which concerns itself with students from Hongkong and Malaya, for the first half of 1938 contains the following:

"The students, as a body, are pursuing their studies in their usual cheerful way and most of them will make a success of them. There is still, in spite of propaganda, a tendency for half-educated men to come over before they are qualified to enter a university."

"It cannot be repeated too often that such men have great difficulty in gaining admission and should complete their education up to the necessary standard."

"It is only fair to point out that of the two recent cases of students sent down from Universities one came over in defiance of the advice tendered to him by the Victoria League and the other was brought over by his own headmaster without consulting the League. Owing to the action of the League Committees these cases are fewer than they used to be."

#### Local Committee

The local committee consists of—  
The Hon. Colonial Secretary, (chairman).

The Vice-Chancellor, University of Hongkong, (vice-chairman).

The Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

The Director of Education.

Dr. S. W. T'so, C.B.E., LL.D.

The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, C.B.E.

Miss Alice Kwok.

The Senior Inspector of Schools, (Education Office) joint honorary secretary, (Hongkong).

Mr. T'so Tsun On, joint honorary secretary.

Such persons as may wish to avail themselves of the assistance of the League should apply to one of the honorary secretaries, with a view to obtaining a letter to the secretary of the League in London.

## WATER POLICEMEN ON GRAVE CHARGE: FORMAL EVIDENCE

The case in which seven seamen of the Water Police are being charged with extortion and conspiracy to extort was continued before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, at the Kowloon Court yesterday, when formal evidence was taken from police and revenue officers who had been in charge of the investigation.

The seamen are alleged to have formed a society called the "Sap Fat Yau" or "Eighteen Friends," which sought to obtain from opium and heroin divan keepers in Kowloon a "fee" which would guarantee the divans in question not being raided by revenue officers.

Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, is prosecuting, while Sub-Inspector C. Mottram is in charge of the case for the police. Mr. C. A. Sutherland Buss is appearing for the defence.

## SOCIETY NOTABLES AT MACAO RACES

From Our Own Correspondent

MACAO, July 11.—Poor attendance marked the July meeting of the Macao Jockey Club at Arela Peta last Sunday, few Hongkong Racegoers coming over on account of the cholera restrictions, while the torrid heat that literally roasted racecourse kept many familiar faces away. However, local residents made up for the social deficiency by their presence, accompanied by a few interesting visiting friends.

Temporarily stretching their legs ashore and generally sightseeing were Lt.-Comm. Forbes and Lt. Smith, of the H.M.S. Robin, which is in port. They were accompanied by Mr. A. J. W. Hockenhull, H.B.M. Vice-Consul. During a lull in the racing they joined a small group in the refreshment room, which included cadets Mr. R. Thompson and Mr. B. Faye and a Penang visitor, Mr. Claude Lyle.

Watching from the main stand were Mr. A. Valente, of the Caixa Economica, and Mrs. Valente, accompanied by their daughters, the Misses Hortense and Lucilla.

#### LATEST FASHIONS

Lt. Freitas Ribeiro, local Aviation Commandant, had his hands full as escort to the charming young Misses Christina Melo, Vera Fernandes, Celsa Rodrigues and Helena Ribeiro. These four young ladies sported variegated racing-going wear and the latest in summer fashions.

Serious conversation got together Dr. Americo Jorge and Mr. Leong Hao Yuen, who were once joined by Mr. L. Martins, while Mrs. Martins sat in the stands chatting with Mrs. Laura Roque and daughter Miss Maria Roque.

Making their first joint appearance as husband and wife at the races were, recently married Mr. Silva Ramos and his spouse, Mrs. Marie (nee Jorge) Silva Ramos. Elsewhere were Mr. and Mrs. L. Jorge.

Arriving, escorted by cadet Mr. Coffin Luscombe, Miss Z. Amaral joined the other young ladies in the stands, while her escort checked up on winning punts.

Invariably getting together for short chats were Melco's Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Fletcher, Customs' Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davis, and Panair's Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

Interested in the horses, from the veterinary angle, was Dr. J. Vidigal who was seen chatting with various acquaintances, among whom was Mr. Carlos Conceicao, of the Macao Trading Company.

Mr. H. Nolasco, Consul for Netherlands, had a lot to talk about with Dr. Gustavo Nolasco, who later was on the spot ready to render first aid to Mr. Hearne, when the latter was thrown by Victory Life in the Sixth Race, fortunately without serious result.

Tagging along as escort to Miss Phyllis Andersen was Mr. H. Nolasco, Jr.

#### MANY ABSENTEES

Owing to the absence of many regular racegoers from Hongkong, there was a dearth of Club officials. However, Mr. J. M. Braga was in the Judge's Box, while Mr. A. J. W. Hockenhull supervised the drawing of the George Potts Memorial Cup Sweep.

Among other local residents whose presence were noted were Lt.-Col. A. Arez (Commissioner of Police), Mr. A. A. ("Pa") Melo, Dr. F. T. Braganca, Mr. V. Pinheiro and Mr. Teesdale.

## BRIBERY CASE

### Allegations Against Two Unemployed

Yeung Kuen and Kwan Keung, both unemployed, appeared on remand before Mr. T. J. Houston at the Central Court yesterday charged with giving a bribe of \$20 to Sub-Inspector J. O'Donovan, with a view to influencing his conduct in the prosecution of a man, named Cheung Hung.

It was alleged that Yeung Kuen, accountant of a rice shop, had been threatened by Cheung Hung. Yeung reported the incident to S. I. O'Donovan and, following investigations, Cheung Hung was arrested and charged with demanding money with menaces.

The defendants, it was alleged, offered \$20 to Insp. O'Donovan for "tea money" as a token for the arrest of Cheung Hung.

At a previous hearing, Cheung Hung was discharged when the defendants withdrew the charge against him.

Following evidence given by Insp. O'Donovan the hearing was adjourned to July 17.

Mr. M. W. Lo appeared for the defence.

## JUVENILE GAMBLERS: MAGISTRATE TAKES SERIOUS VIEW

"I regard this as very serious because there were juveniles engaged in the gambling," remarked Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court yesterday, when two men and a 15-year-old boy were charged with keeping a common gambling house at Cage Street on Tuesday.

The two adults were fined \$30 each, while the juvenile was fined \$25.

Seven others, who were charged with gambling, were fined \$3, including the one who failed to appear to answer the charge.

Detective-Sergeant Stewart raided the premises and found the men conducting a game of darts. There were juveniles betting on the game.

The sum of \$13.45, which was found by police, was confiscated for the Poor Box.

An embroidered flag was presented to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek by Lord Cecil and M. Pierre Cot, presidents of the International Peace Campaign, on the occasion of the second anniversary of the Sino-Japanese hostilities. The flag was presented to General Chiang through the Chungking Branch of the I.P.C. Lord Cecil and M. Cot in presenting the flag expressed the hope that Chinese victory would soon be gained.

## INTERESTING TRAVEL FILM OF CEYLON

A travel film of Ceylon, which was brought recently by Mr. O. N. Muthukrishna, a journalist of the Associated Newspaper of Ceylon, Ltd., and the Ceylon Daily News, showing the intimate details of life in Ceylon, the famous Kandy Pershera, the elephant parade of Kandy, and many interesting parts of the place, was shown at the Queen's Theatre yesterday, under the sponsorship of the Hongkong Chinese Women's Club.

The film is in colour and it was interesting to note the life of the inhabitants, the varied scenery, and the elephant parade.

The proceeds are to be donated to the War Relief Fund. The picture will be shown at St. John Ambulance, Brigade Hall at 7.15 p.m. to-night.

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## BRITISH WARSHIP SPEEDS TO TSINGTAO: GUARD FOR BRITISH CONSULATE

SHANGHAI, July 12 (Reuter).—Ordered at full speed from the North, H.M.S. Lowestoft arrived in Tsingtao to-day in connexion with yesterday's attack on the British Consulate-General, in which connexion the British Consul-General has made an emphatic protest to the Japanese authorities.

It was reliably learned that the British Consul-General knew twenty-four hours in advance that an attack had been planned and vainly requested the Japanese authorities to forestall it.

It was further stated that a party of marines from H.M.S. Lowestoft was landed to guard the Consulate-General.

Japan's Instructions  
TOKYO, July 12 (Reuter).—"In order to make the anti-British campaign a national one" two of the largest political parties—the Seiyukai and the Minseitō—have instructed their branches to organize anti-British rallies in every prefecture, province, town and village in Japan.

The branches have been told that every rally should adopt a resolution urging the Government to take up a firm attitude in dealing with Britain.

### VISCOUNT GORT VISITS FRANCE

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter).—The War Office announces that Viscount Gort, Chief of the Imperial Staff, accompanied by three officers, will visit Paris from July 12 to 14 as the guests of the French Government.

Among the functions Viscount Gort will attend will be a review of the French Army and a lunch by the President, M. Lebrun.

### BRITISH ARMY RECRUITING

LONDON, July 12 (T/Ocean).—The number of recruits who joined the British Regular Army in June this year with 4562 is, by 1939, higher than in the same month last year, while during the first quarter of this year 14,281 men joined, compared with 10,233 in the same period last year.

For Duty in Egypt  
One brigade of British Infantry is to be transferred from Palestine to Egypt. The War Office, making an announcement, adds this transfer has been planned for sometime.

### NEW PUPPET GOVERNMENT IS PLANNED

PEIPING, July 12 (Reuter).—It is reported that the formation of a Japanese-sponsored Federal Government is being discussed in Tsingtao by high representatives of the Japanese armies in North and Central China and the Peiping and Nanking Governments.

### DIPLOMATIC TALKS IN PARIS

PARIS, July 12 (T/Ocean).—The French Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, on Tuesday afternoon received successively the American Ambassador, Mr. Bullitt, the French Ambassador in Ankara, M. Massigli, the British Ambassador in Paris, Sir Eric Phipps, and the Yugoslav Minister in Paris, M. Puritch.

It is stated that M. Bonnet discussed with Mr. Bullitt the attitude of Washington political circles to the Neutrality Bill dispute, with M. Massigli the French measures to be taken in the Syrian Mandate territory, with Sir Eric Phipps the progress of the Moscow negotiations.

In connection with the latter, official French quarters emphasize that the discussions are to be continued.

### German Envoy Calls

The German Ambassador in Paris, Count Welzbeck, according to French diplomatic quarters, was received yesterday afternoon by Premier Daladier.

It is asserted that Count Welzbeck informed M. Daladier of the reservations made by the German Government in connection with certain steps lately taken by the French authorities against German subjects residing in France.

## ITALY'S EXPULSION ORDER

### 200 FOREIGNERS AFFECTED

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter).—Reuter's diplomatic correspondent understands that the British Government is inquiring from Rome in regard to the reasons why British subjects had been ordered to leave South Tyrol.

The orders will affect some fifteen British subjects, including a farmer and two elderly spinsters who are living in hotels.

According to information received in London, the orders will affect some 200 foreign subjects, mostly Swiss, but it is stated that two American subjects were not included in the expulsion order.

The British subjects affected have not been given any reason for their expulsion.

### Political Reasons?

ROME, July 12 (Reuter).—The British and French Ambassadors and the Dutch Minister called at the Italian Foreign Office separately yesterday to inquire about the order to their nationals to leave South Tyrol.

The expulsion order refers to the whole of the frontier district, which will be closed to all foreigners, except merely for transit purposes.

About thirty British, fifteen French and forty to fifty Dutch subjects and a number of Swiss nationals will be affected.

It is stated in Italian circles that the reason for the step is political and military.

### DEATH OF STRONG OPPONENT OF U.S. ISOLATION

WASHINGTON, July 12 (Reuter).—The death occurred yesterday of Mr. Sam McReynolds, Chairman of the House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee and author of the first neutrality Bill in 1936.

He was one of the strongest opponents of isolation.

### TEN ARABS IMPRISONED IN A WELL

JERUSALEM, July 12 (Reuter).—British police and troops yesterday rescued alive ten Arabs who had disappeared from Nazareth for the past two months and who were found huddled together at the bottom of a well south-east of Nazareth.

The Arab who was guarding the well was arrested.

### JAPANESE TINNED SALMON

#### CONVERTIBLE LABELS: COMMONS QUERY

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter).—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Tom Johnston (Lab.) drew the attention of Mr. Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, to the fact that tins of Japanese salmon were stamped with the word "Can" and with a convertible label carrying the words "Foreign Produce" and "Empire Produce".

Mr. Stanley, replying, said that he understood that where unlabelled tins of foreign produce bear the word "Can" at the time of importation, they were not released from the customs charge unless an indication of their origin was also affixed.

#### No Objection

It was customary to sell both Empire and Foreign produce under the same brand or trade mark and the type of label referred to was doubtless intended to facilitate labelling.

No objection could be taken to this practice so long as the only indication of origin visible to the purchaser was the correct indication.

He suggested that Mr. Johnston should furnish particulars if the practice led to doubt in a purchaser's mind regarding the origin of the goods.

## H.K. - Canton Wireless Service

CANTON, July 12 (Reuter).—Reuter learns that negotiations are proceeding between the Hongkong Government and the Japanese authorities in Canton for direct wireless communication between the two ports and agreement is expected to be signed on July 12, after which arrangements are being made for the Chinese telegraph administration office at Shameen to close down.

It is understood that the Chinese Telegraph is closing down voluntarily, as it had the option of co-operating with the Japanese wireless scheme.

It is further learned that the Japanese are exercising censorship rights when the new arrangement is enforced.

### SIGNIFICANT APPOINTMENT IN U.S.

WASHINGTON, July 12 (Reuter).—President Roosevelt has nominated Mr. Paul McNutt, High Commissioner of the Philippine Islands as Federal Security Administrator, an appointment regarded in informed circles as one of the most significant politically which President Roosevelt has made.

Mr. McNutt has been extensively supported by friends for the Democratic Presidential Nomination in 1940 and it is understood that President Roosevelt has agreed to let Mr. McNutt continue his campaign for nomination unless the President himself decided to seek a third term, in which case, it is pointed out, Mr. Roosevelt for President, and Mr. McNutt for Vice-President, would be an ideal combination.

### REFUGEE COMMITTEE TO MEET IN LONDON

LONDON, July 12 (BWS).—The Inter-Governmental Committee for refugees will meet in the British Foreign Office on July 19. It is expected that the Committee will sit

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### Egyptian Minister On Visit To Athens

ATHENS, July 12 (T/Ocean).—The Egyptian Foreign Minister, Yehia Pasha, arrived here on Tuesday from Belgrade.

Political circles here do not attribute any special importance to the Egyptian Minister's visit. This opinion would seem to be confirmed by the fact that no member of the Greek Cabinet was at the railway station to receive Yehia Pasha, who was welcomed on behalf of the Government by the Under-Secretary of State in the Foreign Ministry and by the Chief of Protocol.

for two or three days. About thirty countries will be represented and Lord Winterton will preside.

Amongst the delegates will be Mr. Myron Taylor (U.S.A.) and Senator Henri Berenger (France).

The Committee will fully review the refugee situation.

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 6 p.m. at K'loon Whf.—C.P.S. (Tel.  
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Gneisenau, German, 10,712 regd.  
 tons Capt. E. Hengstenberg from  
 Europe & Manila 2 a.m. at K'loon  
 Wharf—Melchers & Co. (Tel.  
 27772).

Thialak, Dutch, 3,614 registered  
 tons Capt. J. Keuning from Java  
 & Manila 7 a.m. at buoy No. A18—  
 J.C.J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Gertrude Maersk, Danish, 3,154  
 regd. tons Capt. Larssen from Java  
 & Manila 7 a.m. at buoy No.  
 A9—Jebson & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Cyclops, British, 5,788 registered  
 tons Capt. A. L. Davies from Euro-  
 pe and Straits 4 p.m. at Holt's  
 Wharf—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Menelaus, British, 6,319 registered  
 tons Capt. Neville from Euro-  
 pe and Straits 7 a.m. at Holt's  
 Whf.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Silverwallow, British, 3,693 reg-  
 istered tons Capt. T. S. Morgan  
 from U.S.A. & S'hai 3 p.m. at Kow-  
 loon Whf.—Furness (Far East),  
 Co., Ltd. (Tel. 23165).

## DUE TO-MORROW

Ningpo, Swedish, 3,443 registered  
 tons Capt. B. A. Brandt, from Euro-  
 pe and Manila a.m. at buoy No. A?  
 Gilman & Co. (Tel. 30966).

Soudan, British, 3,477 registered  
 tons Capt. D. L. Collings from Euro-  
 pe and S'hai a.m. at buoy No. A?  
 M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Hang Sang, British, 1,356 regis-  
 tered tons Capt. Middleton from  
 S'hai a.m. at buoy No. B?—J. M. &  
 Co. (Tel. 30311).

## SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Lai Chi Kok—San Antonio  
 Yaumati—Produce, Pipina,  
 Prosper Prominent, Turul, Hauk,  
 Hai Yang, Muinam.

Kowloon Bay—Claude Chappe,  
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Kowloon Wharf—Hulda Maersk,  
 Gneisenau, Pres. Pierce

C.M.S.N. Wharf—Changon and  
 Hareldawins.

North Point—Cortellazzo  
 Causeway Bay—Indira

Stopecutt—Jessie Moller,  
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Talkoo—Breenishire, Dardanus,  
 Chinese Prince, Tuml.  
 Kowloon—Corregidor, Chaksang  
 Ardent, Miramar

## BUOYS

No. A 1—Deucalion  
 No. A 2—Santalia  
 No. A 3—Cremer  
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YESTERDAY

Leana, British, 2,914 registered  
 tons Capt. E. Jones from Calcutta  
 at buoy No. B26—Williamson & Co.  
 (Tel. 27755).

Pres. Pierce, American, 7,987 reg-  
 istered tons Capt. C. Jokstad from  
 Manila at Kowloon Wharf—  
 A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).

Kwai Sang, British, 1,435 regis-  
 tered tons Capt. J. Fant from  
 Shanghai at buoy No. B9—J. M. &  
 Co. (Tel. 30311).

Mau Sang, British, 2,063 regis-  
 tered tons Capt. P. Jowitt from  
 Sandakan at buoy No. B22—J.  
 M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Santalia, British, 4,841 registered  
 tons Capt. K. S. McLennan from  
 Kobe at buoy No. A2—  
 M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Cortellazzo, Italian, 3,061 regd.  
 tons Capt. Manoni from Europe,  
 Straits and Saigon at North  
 Point—Lloyd Triestino. (Tel.  
 32983).

Helikon, British, 1,220 registered  
 tons Capt. W. Anderson from Sai-  
 gon at buoy No. B12—Wo Fat  
 Sing. (Tel. 20005).

Hareldawins, British, 651 regis-  
 tered tons Capt. J. E. Harvey from  
 K. C. Wan at C.M.S.N. Wharf—  
 Tai Yau S.S. & Co. (Tel. 27273).

Indira, British, 249 registered  
 tons Capt. Gaggino from K.C. Wan  
 at buoy No. C5 to Causeway Bay—  
 Fook Pong & Co. (Tel. 24965).

Changon, British, 2,235 registered  
 tons Capt. L. N. Beer from K.C.  
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 Yu Sang for Haiphong  
 Holhow for Swatow  
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No. A 7—Tai Ping  
 No. A 8—Kum Sang  
 No. B 1—Kjiong Chow  
 No. B 8—Wo Sang  
 No. B 9—Kwai Sang  
 No. B10—Daviken  
 No. B12—Helikon  
 No. B14—Sui Yang  
 No. B15—Kwangtung  
 No. B17—Proetus  
 No. B18—Haitung  
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Hulda Maersk, Danish, 3,390 reg-  
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 Dolo 6 p.m.—Jebson & Co. (Tel.  
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Gertrude Maersk, Danish, 3,154  
 regd. tons Capt. Larssen from buoy  
 No. A? for S'hai, Japan and U.S.A.  
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Deucalion, British, 4,847 regd.  
 tons Capt. W. Beswick from buoy  
 No. A1 for Straits, Marseilles,  
 Casablanca, London, Rotterdam,  
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 S. (Tel. 30331).

Gneisenau, German, 10,712 reg-  
 istered tons Capt. E. Hengsten-  
 berg from K'loon Wharf for S'hai  
 Kobe and Yokohama noon—Mel-  
 chers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

SAILING  
TO-MORROW

Tai ping, British, 2,582 registered  
 tons Capt. A. M. Frame from buoy  
 No. A? for Manila and Australia  
 10 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Emp. of Asia, British, 8,883 reg-  
 istered tons Capt. M. Mayall from  
 K'loon Whf. for Manila 4 a.m.—  
 C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Kjiongchow, British, 1,545 regis-  
 tered tons Capt. R. H. Fairley from  
 buoy No. B1 for Haiphong 2 p.m.  
 —B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Changon, British, 2,235 regis-  
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	6,000	19th Aug.	B'bay, Mar. Havre, London, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp.
SCANTON	15,500	19th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SCARTAGE	14,500	2nd Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOMALI	6,000	9th Sept.	B'bay, Mar. Havre, London, Hull, H'g, R'dam, & A'werp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	16th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	8th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTRA	17,000	14th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	28th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
SCITRAL	15,000	11th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SCORPU	14,500	26th Nov.	Marseilles & London.
SCANTON	15,500	9th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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SANTHIA	8,000	15th July (4.30 A.M.)	Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
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NANKIN	7,000	30th Sept.	do.

## SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI &amp; JAPAN

CANTON	15,500	20th July	Shanghai & Japan
SIRHANNA	10,000	29th July	do.
CARTAGE	14,500	2nd Aug.	do.
*SOMALI	6,000	9th Aug.	do.
SHIRALA	10,000	26th Aug.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
TANDA	7,000	2nd Sept.	do.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	17th Aug.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
RAWALPINDI	17,000	28th Aug.	Japan, Shanghai & Japan
SANTHIA	8,000	15th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
*BANGALORE	6,000	1st Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
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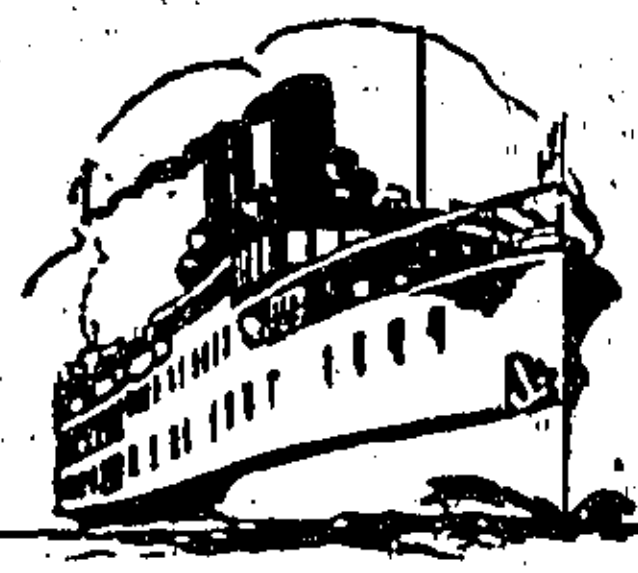
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All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 17th July, 1939, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 18th Aug. 1939, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 11th July, 1939 [548]

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 5 days including date of arrival will be subject to Reclaim.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m., on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before 30th July, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co. Agents.

Hong Kong, 9th July, 1939. [544]

## CHOA BANKRUPTCY CASE

## APPLICATION FOR ANNULMENT OF ADJUDICATION ORDER FAILS

## Puisne Judge Will Give Reasons In Writing

THE BANKRUPTCY COURT WAS FAIRLY CROWDED YESTERDAY when the final stages of the application brought by the Official Receiver, Mr. L. B. Andrews, for annulment of the adjudication order against Choa Po-sien, former comrade of the Banque Franco-Chinoise, were reached. After lengthy submissions were heard, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell dismissed the application and said that he would give his reasons for doing so in writing at a later date.

Choa was adjudged a bankrupt in 1937, and it was alleged that this was brought about by a number of friendly creditors with the purpose of depriving a judgment creditor, Miss Ethel Morrison, of the fruits of her judgment, amounting to \$27,972.38.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the debtor and for a creditor, Ho Pak-ching, while the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo was for Tang Shiu-kin and Chung Tat-ching, creditor, Mr. P. Wynter Blyth for the Procurator in Hongkong of the Spanish Dominican Mission, another creditor, and Mr. J. T. Prior for petitioning creditor, Kam-fat Lay, and Lee Choa Shee.

Mr. Prior submitted that the only ground on which an application for annulment of an adjudication order could be brought was fraud, and as this ground had been withdrawn by the Official Receiver, the petition should be dismissed.

"As regards Choa, a lot had been said about his conduct, but if he had actually obtained money on false pretences from Miss Morrison, why was he not prosecuted?" asked Mr. Prior.

"There are certain statutory offences under the Bankruptcy Ordinance which are very searching, and if Choa had committed any of these he could have been prosecuted."

Dealing with the question of irregularities, Mr. Prior said that whatever they were, the Official Receiver was a party to them, for they must have been known to him in 1937.

Mr. Wynter-Blyth said that some of the creditors had violently assailed the Official Receiver's application and had pressed upon the Court to dismiss it, but as far as his client was concerned, he had been instructed to adopt a different attitude.

**SUBSTANTIAL QUESTION**  
Mr. Andrews said the substantial question to be determined was whether the adjudication order should be annulled.

The debtor, by falsely pretending to be comrade of the Banque Franco-Chinoise, had defrauded Miss Morrison of \$27,972.38 and had then sought and obtained the protection of bankruptcy through the agency of his friend Kam-fat Lay.

"The 15 per cent. rule was circumvented and infringed by the debtor with the friendly assistance of three of his creditors, namely the late Kwan King-shun, Tang Shiu-kin and the Procurator. No evidence has been called to dispute those facts, and all attempts to upset Miss Morrison in cross-examination were repulsed with some warmth."

"Mr. Silva argued that my report cannot be accepted as prima facie evidence. I never contended that it was prima facie evidence," said Mr. Andrews. "That is why I called Miss Morrison to give evidence."

"My application for annulment is based on two distinct grounds:—that the adjudication order ought not to have been made; and that the assets for division among the unsecured creditors are not and will not be sufficient to pay a dividend of 15 per cent."

**SEVERAL REASONS**  
"I have several reasons for submitting that the adjudication order ought not to have been made, the principal one being that our local bankruptcy legislation has for many years differed widely from the United Kingdom bankruptcy legislation."

"The Court adjudicated Choa bankrupt before his public examination. It was not until his public examination that his fraudulent conduct was exposed. Therefore when the Court adjudicated him bankrupt, the Court did not know that he had been fraudulent. Neither did the Official Receiver know. Sec. 19 of the Bankruptcy Ordinance contemplates public examination before adjudication but in this bankruptcy, adjudication preceded public examination with the result that the facts were not

before the Court at the time of adjudication.

"Choa took care to conceal his fraudulent conduct from the Court and from the Official Receiver."

"In a sentence my submission is that the Hongkong legislation was designed to prevent fraudulent debtors obtaining the protection of bankruptcy and that this is the very type of case which was aimed at by the new legislation in 1931. In Hongkong since 1931, the debtor's fraud is a statutory ground for refusal to adjudicate. But there has never been any corresponding provision in the English Bankruptcy Act. Therefore none of the cases cited by my friends can have any application to the present case which must be determined simply and solely on the interpretation of the proviso to section 10."

## SECOND GROUND

"With regard to the second ground of my application for annulment, namely that the assets for division among the unsecured creditors are not and will not be sufficient to pay a dividend of 15 per cent, there can be no dispute that the 15 per cent. rule has been infringed. The only question is how should the Court's discretion be exercised. In my submission it should be exercised against the debtor. That is to say the Court should annul the bankruptcy because the debtor himself designed and arranged that the 15 per cent. rule should be circumvented and infringed. He did this in concert with three of his friendly creditors, namely the late Kwan King-shun, Tang Shiu-kin and the Procurator."

"If your Lordship considers that any of the creditors, even the friendly creditors, will be prejudiced by annulment I am prepared not to press for a refund of the dividends, but I do most strongly press for annulment of the bankruptcy."

"I submit that if ever there was a bankruptcy which ought to be annulled this is such a bankruptcy. The debtor has not and never had any merits which would entitle him to the protection of bankruptcy. The legislature is intended to prevent bankruptcy being a haven of refuge for fraudulent debtors."

His Lordship dismissed the application. The question of costs was then argued, and decision on this point was reserved.

All-Star  
Baseball  
AnnualNATIONAL LEAGUE  
BEATEN 3-1 BY  
AMERICAN LEAGUE

NEW YORK, July 12 (Reuter).—In the annual All-Star baseball match played at the Yankee Stadium yesterday, the American League defeated the National League by three runs to one.

The scores were:—  
National League ..... 1 7 1  
American League ..... 3 6 1

Vaughan scored for the Nationals in the third inning on singles by Vaughan and Hack, and a double by Frey.

The Americans scored through Dickey and Greenberg in the fourth on hits and an error by Vaughan.

COUNTY CRICKET  
LUNCH SCORES

LONDON, July 12 (Reuter).—County cricket lunch scores are as follows:—

Derby v. Middlesex 119 for 6; Glamorgan v. Essex 141 for 1; Hampshire 132 for 5 v. Sussex; Kent v. Somerset 112 for 1; Lancashire 114 for 3 v. Worcester; Northumberland v. West Indies 159 for 0; Nottinghamshire 151 for 2 v. Leicestershire; Surrey v. Gloucester 114 for 4.

## LAWN BOWLS NOTES:

## RINKS TOURNEY

Bradbury Beaten In  
Quarter-Finals

The Rinks competition has made further progress. On Sunday last the four matches in the quarter-finals were decided as the result of which rinks skipped by A. W. Grimmit, J. Fender, J. C. Brown and F. X. Silva have gone to the semi-final round.

While J. C. Brown and F. X. Silva encountered no difficulty whatever in disposing of B. Basto's and J. Chalmers' rinks, those who went to the Valley to see the A. W. Grimmit-B. W. Bradbury and J. Fender-J. Orem matches were given a rare treat—both matches being decided on the 22nd head.

Up to the 13th head when the score was 12 shots all was touch and go between Grimmit's rink (E. W. Simmonds, J. Deakin and S. Eccleshall) and Bradbury's (J. W. Leonard, K. M. Omar and A. E. Coates).

But six shots scored by the latter to the former's single, gave Bradbury an 18-13 lead on the 17th head, but on the following head he unfortunately lost a single to Grimmit who, with four shots against him, sent down a heavy wood which was hopelessly narrow, but which luckily sliced one of his own woods in for the first shot.

This misfortune seemed to have disheartened Bradbury and his men for they gave away another single and a four to Grimmit on the next two heads to allow the latter to forge ahead with the score at 19-18. However, Coates drew in a beauty on the 21st head to give Bradbury one to tie the scores at 19-19.

On the extra head, when both players as well as spectators were feverish with excitement, Sid Eccleshall with a couple of shots or more against him rested on one of them for the first shot which Bradbury tried in vain to dislodge, both his woods being narrow.

On the Civil Service green two Police rinks fought for the right to play in the semi-finals—J. Fender's rink (composed of F. E. Channing, R. Ellis and W. Malr) and J. Orem's four comprising J. Forrest, J. Headridge and G. Perkins. Fender's rink, by dint of greater consistency, led practically all the way through and on the 17th head the score was 17-10 in his favour.

However, eight shots scored by Orem in the next three heads saw the position reversed—he now took the lead, only to see Fender draw level on the 21st head with a single. On the extra head played, Fender scored one to win a very close match.

THIS WEEK'S  
PROGRAMMEAll Away Senior  
Teams Tipped

(BY "JACK HY")

I anticipate easy victories for the Kowloon Cricket Club and Craigengower C.C. against the Kowloon Docks and Civil Service C.C. respectively this week-end, although in both cases they will be playing away.

The Police R.C. will be at home to the Indian R.C. and as the former lost to the latter when they first met this season it is but reasonable to assume that the Indians will win again. However, a Police win will not in the least surprise me as the Indians may find some difficulty in beating Recreio "B."

In the Second Division, Hongkong Football Club, Taikeo R.C., Craigengower and Kowloon Bowling Green Club should all win and in the Third, Recreio, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Craigengower and Hongkong Football Club should also win.

## First Division

Police R.C. v. INDIAN R.C.  
Kowloon Docks v. KOWLOON C.C.  
Recreio "B" v. KOWLOON B.G.C.  
Civil Service v. CRAIGENGOWER

## Second Division

TAIKEO R.C. v. Civil Service  
CRAIGENGOWER v. Kowloon Tong  
HONGKONG F.C. v. Kowloon F.C.  
Police R.C. v. KOWLOON B.G.C.

## Third Division

CRAIGENGOWER v. Yacht Club  
KOWLOON B.G.C. v. Electric R.C.  
Kowloon F.C. v. RECREIO  
Police R.C. v. HONGKONG F.C.

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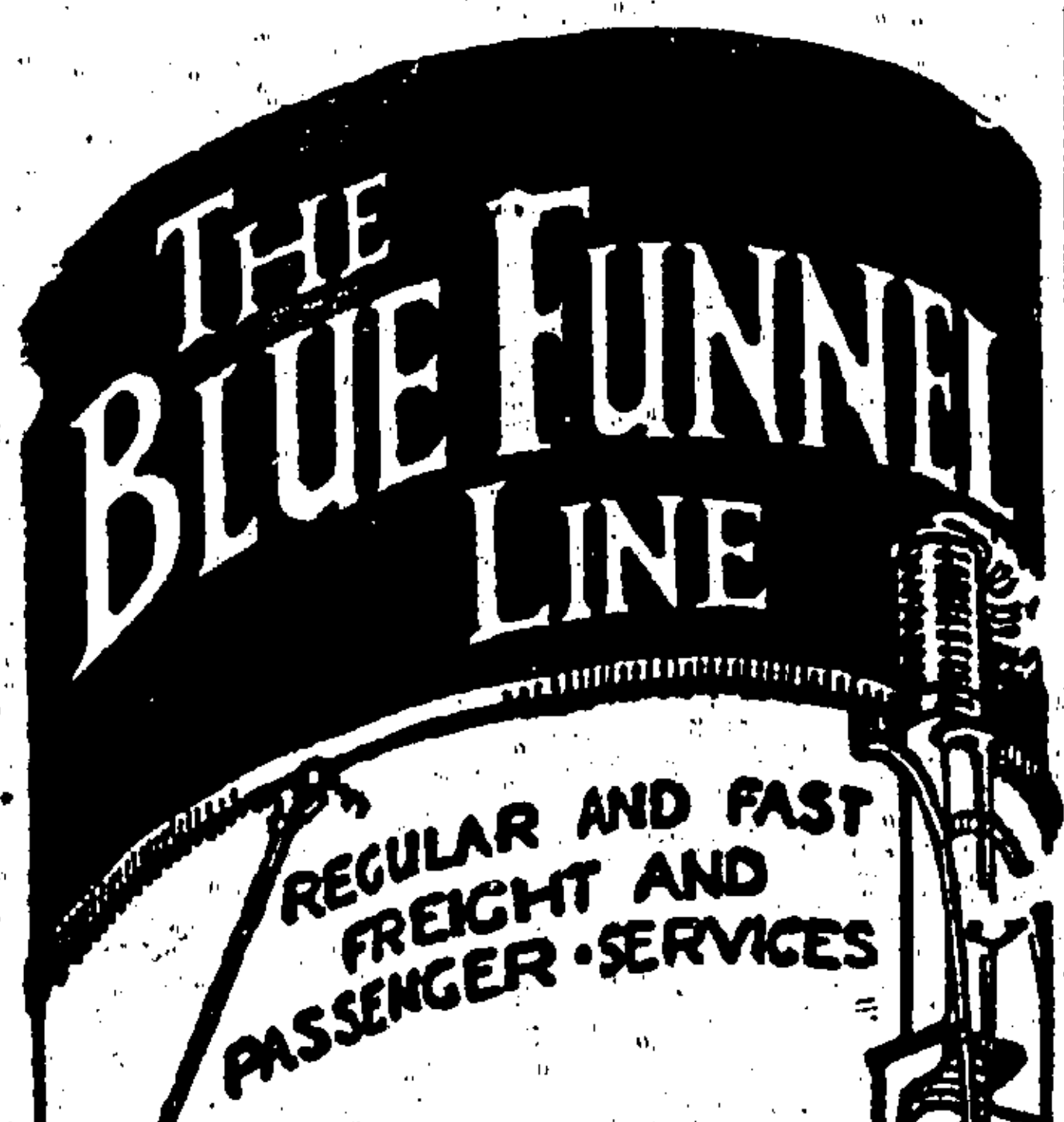
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Tylosak	Tylosak	13th July
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Straits	Cyclops	13th July
Straits	Menehaus	13th July
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Shanghai	Conte Rosso	14th July
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Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	15th July
Straits	Anshun	16th July
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Straits	Antenor	16th July
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Manila	Pleasantville	16th July
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Tientsin	Yochow	18th July
Straits	Husmi Maru	18th July
Calcutta and Straits	Sirdhana	18th July
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Straits	Tegelberg	19th July
Japan	Argentina Maru	19th July
Saigon	Marchal Joffre	19th July
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru	20th July
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 24th June)	Fra. Monroe	20th July
Japan and Shanghai	Titan	20th July
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Japan and Shanghai	Chitral	21st July
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